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request, by transmitting to the requesting district or school
either the student's school records as authorized under section
3319.321 of the Revised Code or, if the district or school has
no record of the student's attendance, a statement of that fact.

The provisions of this section are in addition to, and do
not affect the obligations of a school district or school to
comply with, the requirements of division (D) of section
3313.642 and section 3313.672 of the Revised Code.

Sec. 3326.11. Each science, technology, engineering, and
 mathematics school established under this chapter and its
 governing body shall comply with sections 9.90, 9.91, 109.65,
 121.22, 149.43, 2151.357, 2151.421, 2313.19, 2921.42, 2921.43,
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 3313.667, 3313.668, 3313.67, 3313.671, 3313.672, 3313.673,
 3313.69, 3313.71, 3313.716, 3313.718, 3313.719, 3313.7112,
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 3313.86, 3313.89, 3313.96, 3319.073, 3319.21, 3319.32, 3319.321,
3319.324, 3319.35, 3319.39, 3319.391, 3319.41, 3319.45, 3319.46,
 3321.01, 3321.041, 3321.05, 3321.13, 3321.14, 3321.17, 3321.18,
 3321.19, 3321.191, 3327.10, 4111.17, 4113.52, and 5705.391 and
 Chapters 102., 117., 1347., 2744., 3307., 3309., 3365., 3742.,
 4112., 4123., 4141., and 4167. of the Revised Code as if it were
 a school district.

Sec. 3328.24. A college-preparatory boarding school
 established under this chapter and its board of trustees shall

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comply with sections 102.02, 3301.0710, 3301.0711, 3301.0712, 394
3301.0714, 3301.0729, 3301.948, 3313.536, 3313.6013, 3313.6021, 395
3313.6411, 3313.7112, 3313.721, 3313.89, 3319.324, 3319.39, 396
3319.391, and 3319.46 and Chapter 3365. of the Revised Code as 397
if the school were a school district and the school's board of 398
trustees were a district board of education. 399

Section 2. That existing sections 3314.03, 3326.11, and 400
3328.24 of the Revised Code are hereby repealed. 401

Section 3. Section 3328.24 of the Revised Code is 402
presented in this act as a composite of the section as amended 403
by both Am. Sub. H.B. 410 and Sub. S.B. 3 of the 131st General 404
Assembly. The General Assembly, applying the principle stated in 405
division (B) of section 1.52 of the Revised Code that amendments 406
are to be harmonized if reasonably capable of simultaneous 407
operation, finds that the composite is the resulting version of 408
the section in effect prior to the effective date of the section 409
as presented in this act. 410

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Subject: Hannah News Stories for Wednesday, November 1, 2017

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From: Dalton, Christopher

Sent: Monday, November 6, 2017 8:39 AM

Subject: Cosponsor request: Expediting the Transfer of Student Records

Attachments: Legislation - Expediting the Transfer of Student Records.pdf

Ohio House of Representatives



MEMORANDUM

From: State Representatives Catherine D. Ingram
Date: Monday, November 6th, 2017
RE: Cosponsor request: Expediting the Transfer of Student Records

I will soon be introducing legislation that clarifies and codifies a requirement for the timely transfer of a K-12 student's records between schools when a student transfers from one school to another. Under this legislation, that timeframe will be within five school days.

Under current Ohio law, there is no timeframe for a primary or secondary school to follow when a request is made—usually by the parent of a student—to transfer that student's records from the school the student is departing to the school the student is enrolling.

While most transfers of student records are done in a timely and efficient manner, that is not always the case, and there is no legal mechanism to enforce timely transfers.

This is commonsense, nonpartisan legislation that impacts and treats all schools—public, private, or charter—equally. All schools will be required to transfer student records in this timely manner.

If you would like to cosponsor this legislation or have any questions, please contact Christopher Dalton at christopher.dalton@ohiohouse.gov or (614) 466-1645 by **COB on Wednesday, November 15th, 2017.**

Thank you for your consideration.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Catherine D. Ingram".

Catherine D. Ingram
State Representative
Ohio House District 32

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132nd General Assembly
Regular Session
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A BILL

To amend sections 3314.03, 3326.11, and 3328.24 and
to enact section 3319.324 of the Revised Code to
require a public or chartered nonpublic school
to transmit a student's records within five
business days when the student transfers to
another school.

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BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. That sections 3314.03, 3326.11, and 3328.24 be
amended and section 3319.324 of the Revised Code be enacted to
read as follows:


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Sec. 3314.03. A copy of every contract entered into under
this section shall be filed with the superintendent of public
instruction. The department of education shall make available on
its web site a copy of every approved, executed contract filed
with the superintendent under this section.

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(A) Each contract entered into between a sponsor and the
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- (1) That the school shall be established as either of the following: 18
- (a) A nonprofit corporation established under Chapter 1702. of the Revised Code, if established prior to April 8, 2003; 19
- (b) A public benefit corporation established under Chapter 1702. of the Revised Code, if established after April 8, 2003. 20
- (2) The education program of the school, including the school's mission, the characteristics of the students the school is expected to attract, the ages and grades of students, and the focus of the curriculum; 21
- (3) The academic goals to be achieved and the method of measurement that will be used to determine progress toward those goals, which shall include the statewide achievement assessments; 22
- (4) Performance standards, including but not limited to all applicable report card measures set forth in section 3302.03 or 3314.017 of the Revised Code, by which the success of the school will be evaluated by the sponsor; 23
- (5) The admission standards of section 3314.06 of the Revised Code and, if applicable, section 3314.061 of the Revised Code; 24
- (6) (a) Dismissal procedures; 25
- (b) A requirement that the governing authority adopt an attendance policy that includes a procedure for automatically withdrawing a student from the school if the student without a legitimate excuse fails to participate in one hundred five consecutive hours of the learning opportunities offered to the 26

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(7) The ways by which the school will achieve racial and 47
ethnic balance reflective of the community it serves; 48

(8) Requirements for financial audits by the auditor of 49
state. The contract shall require financial records of the 50
school to be maintained in the same manner as are financial 51
records of school districts, pursuant to rules of the auditor of 52
state. Audits shall be conducted in accordance with section 53
117.10 of the Revised Code. 54

(9) An addendum to the contract outlining the facilities 55
to be used that contains at least the following information: 56

(a) A detailed description of each facility used for 57
instructional purposes; 58

(b) The annual costs associated with leasing each facility 59
that are paid by or on behalf of the school; 60

(c) The annual mortgage principal and interest payments 61
that are paid by the school; 62

(d) The name of the lender or landlord, identified as 63
such, and the lender's or landlord's relationship to the 64
operator, if any. 65

(10) Qualifications of teachers, including a requirement 66
that the school's classroom teachers be licensed in accordance 67
with sections 3319.22 to 3319.31 of the Revised Code, except 68
that a community school may engage noncertificated persons to 69
teach up to twelve hours per week pursuant to section 3319.301 70
of the Revised Code. 71

(11) That the school will comply with the following 72
requirements: 73

(a) The school will provide learning opportunities to a minimum of twenty-five students for a minimum of nine hundred twenty hours per school year.	74 75 76
(b) The governing authority will purchase liability insurance, or otherwise provide for the potential liability of the school.	77 78 79
(c) The school will be nonsectarian in its programs, admission policies, employment practices, and all other operations, and will not be operated by a sectarian school or religious institution.	80 81 82 83
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3313.611, and 3313.614 of the Revised Code, except that for 104
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2010, the requirement in sections 3313.61 and 3313.611 of the 106
Revised Code that a person must successfully complete the 107
curriculum in any high school prior to receiving a high school 108
diploma may be met by completing the curriculum adopted by the 109
governing authority of the community school rather than the 110
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rules of the state board of education. Beginning with students 112
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in division (C) of section 3313.603 of the Revised Code, unless 118
the person qualifies under division (D) or (F) of that section. 119
Each school shall comply with the plan for awarding high school 120
credit based on demonstration of subject area competency, and 121
beginning with the 2017-2018 school year, with the updated plan 122
that permits students enrolled in seventh and eighth grade to 123
meet curriculum requirements based on subject area competency 124
adopted by the state board of education under divisions (J) (1) 125
and (2) of section 3313.603 of the Revised Code. Beginning with 126
the 2018-2019 school year, the school shall comply with the 127
framework for granting units of high school credit to students 128
who demonstrate subject area competency through work-based 129
learning experiences, internships, or cooperative education 130
developed by the department under division (J) (3) of section 131
3313.603 of the Revised Code. 132

(g) The school governing authority will submit within four 133

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months after the end of each school year a report of its
activities and progress in meeting the goals and standards of
divisions (A) (3) and (4) of this section and its financial
status to the sponsor and the parents of all students enrolled
in the school. 134
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(h) The school, unless it is an internet- or computer-
based community school, will comply with section 3313.801 of the
Revised Code as if it were a school district. 139
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(i) If the school is the recipient of moneys from a grant
awarded under the federal race to the top program, Division (A),
Title XIV, Sections 14005 and 14006 of the "American Recovery
and Reinvestment Act of 2009," Pub. L. No. 111-5, 123 Stat. 115,
the school will pay teachers based upon performance in
accordance with section 3317.141 and will comply with section
3319.111 of the Revised Code as if it were a school district. 142
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(j) If the school operates a preschool program that is
licensed by the department of education under sections 3301.52
to 3301.59 of the Revised Code, the school shall comply with
sections 3301.50 to 3301.59 of the Revised Code and the minimum
standards for preschool programs prescribed in rules adopted by
the state board under section 3301.53 of the Revised Code. 149
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(k) The school will comply with sections 3313.6021 and
3313.6023 of the Revised Code as if it were a school district
unless it is either of the following: 155
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(i) An internet- or computer-based community school; 158

(ii) A community school in which a majority of the
enrolled students are children with disabilities as described in
division (A) (4) (b) of section 3314.35 of the Revised Code. 159
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(12) Arrangements for providing health and other benefits 162

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to employees;

(13) The length of the contract, which shall begin at the beginning of an academic year. No contract shall exceed five years unless such contract has been renewed pursuant to division (E) of this section.

(14) The governing authority of the school, which shall be responsible for carrying out the provisions of the contract;

(15) A financial plan detailing an estimated school budget for each year of the period of the contract and specifying the total estimated per pupil expenditure amount for each such year.

(16) Requirements and procedures regarding the disposition of employees of the school in the event the contract is terminated or not renewed pursuant to section 3314.07 of the Revised Code;

(17) Whether the school is to be created by converting all or part of an existing public school or educational service center building or is to be a new start-up school, and if it is a converted public school or service center building, specification of any duties or responsibilities of an employer that the board of education or service center governing board that operated the school or building before conversion is delegating to the governing authority of the community school with respect to all or any specified group of employees provided the delegation is not prohibited by a collective bargaining agreement applicable to such employees;

(18) Provisions establishing procedures for resolving disputes or differences of opinion between the sponsor and the governing authority of the community school;

(19) A provision requiring the governing authority to

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adopt a policy regarding the admission of students who reside
outside the district in which the school is located. That policy
shall comply with the admissions procedures specified in
sections 3314.06 and 3314.061 of the Revised Code and, at the
sole discretion of the authority, shall do one of the following:

(a) Prohibit the enrollment of students who reside outside
the district in which the school is located;

(b) Permit the enrollment of students who reside in
districts adjacent to the district in which the school is
located;

(c) Permit the enrollment of students who reside in any
other district in the state.

(20) A provision recognizing the authority of the
department of education to take over the sponsorship of the
school in accordance with the provisions of division (C) of
section 3314.015 of the Revised Code;

(21) A provision recognizing the sponsor's authority to
assume the operation of a school under the conditions specified
in division (B) of section 3314.073 of the Revised Code;

(22) A provision recognizing both of the following:

(a) The authority of public health and safety officials to
inspect the facilities of the school and to order the facilities
closed if those officials find that the facilities are not in
compliance with health and safety laws and regulations;

(b) The authority of the department of education as the
community school oversight body to suspend the operation of the
school under section 3314.072 of the Revised Code if the
department has evidence of conditions or violations of law at

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the school that pose an imminent danger to the health and safety
of the school's students and employees and the sponsor refuses
to take such action.

(23) A description of the learning opportunities that will
be offered to students including both classroom-based and non-
classroom-based learning opportunities that is in compliance
with criteria for student participation established by the
department under division (H) (2) of section 3314.08 of the
Revised Code;

(24) The school will comply with sections 3302.04 and
3302.041 of the Revised Code, except that any action required to
be taken by a school district pursuant to those sections shall
be taken by the sponsor of the school. However, the sponsor
shall not be required to take any action described in division
(F) of section 3302.04 of the Revised Code.

(25) Beginning in the 2006-2007 school year, the school
will open for operation not later than the thirtieth day of
September each school year, unless the mission of the school as
specified under division (A) (2) of this section is solely to
serve dropouts. In its initial year of operation, if the school
fails to open by the thirtieth day of September, or within one
year after the adoption of the contract pursuant to division (D)
of section 3314.02 of the Revised Code if the mission of the
school is solely to serve dropouts, the contract shall be void.

(26) Whether the school's governing authority is planning
to seek designation for the school as a STEM school equivalent
under section 3326.032 of the Revised Code;

(27) That the school's attendance and participation
policies will be available for public inspection;

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(28) That the school's attendance and participation	249
records shall be made available to the department of education,	250
auditor of state, and school's sponsor to the extent permitted	251
under and in accordance with the "Family Educational Rights and	252
Privacy Act of 1974," 88 Stat. 571, 20 U.S.C. 1232g, as amended,	253
and any regulations promulgated under that act, and section	254
3319.321 of the Revised Code;	255
(29) If a school operates using the blended learning	256
model, as defined in section 3301.079 of the Revised Code, all	257
of the following information:	258
(a) An indication of what blended learning model or models	259
will be used;	260
(b) A description of how student instructional needs will	261
be determined and documented;	262
(c) The method to be used for determining competency,	263
granting credit, and promoting students to a higher grade level;	264
(d) The school's attendance requirements, including how	265
the school will document participation in learning	266
opportunities;	267
(e) A statement describing how student progress will be	268
monitored;	269
(f) A statement describing how private student data will	270
be protected;	271
(g) A description of the professional development	272
activities that will be offered to teachers.	273
(30) A provision requiring that all moneys the school's	274
operator loans to the school, including facilities loans or cash	275
flow assistance, must be accounted for, documented, and bear	276

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interest at a fair market rate; 277

(31) A provision requiring that, if the governing 278
authority contracts with an attorney, accountant, or entity 279
specializing in audits, the attorney, accountant, or entity 280
shall be independent from the operator with which the school has 281
contracted. 282

(B) The community school shall also submit to the sponsor 283
a comprehensive plan for the school. The plan shall specify the 284
following: 285

(1) The process by which the governing authority of the 286
school will be selected in the future; 287

(2) The management and administration of the school; 288

(3) If the community school is a currently existing public 289
school or educational service center building, alternative 290
arrangements for current public school students who choose not 291
to attend the converted school and for teachers who choose not 292
to teach in the school or building after conversion; 293

(4) The instructional program and educational philosophy 294
of the school; 295

(5) Internal financial controls. 296

When submitting the plan under this division, the school 297
shall also submit copies of all policies and procedures 298
regarding internal financial controls adopted by the governing 299
authority of the school. 300

(C) A contract entered into under section 3314.02 of the 301
Revised Code between a sponsor and the governing authority of a 302
community school may provide for the community school governing 303
authority to make payments to the sponsor, which is hereby 304

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authorized to receive such payments as set forth in the contract 305
 between the governing authority and the sponsor. The total 306
 amount of such payments for monitoring, oversight, and technical 307
 assistance of the school shall not exceed three per cent of the 308
 total amount of payments for operating expenses that the school 309
 receives from the state. 310

(D) The contract shall specify the duties of the sponsor 311
 which shall be in accordance with the written agreement entered 312
 into with the department of education under division (B) of 313
 section 3314.015 of the Revised Code and shall include the 314
 following: 315

(1) Monitor the community school's compliance with all 316
 laws applicable to the school and with the terms of the 317
 contract; 318

(2) Monitor and evaluate the academic and fiscal 319
 performance and the organization and operation of the community 320
 school on at least an annual basis; 321

(3) Report on an annual basis the results of the 322
 evaluation conducted under division (D) (2) of this section to 323
 the department of education and to the parents of students 324
 enrolled in the community school; 325

(4) Provide technical assistance to the community school 326
 in complying with laws applicable to the school and terms of the 327
 contract; 328

(5) Take steps to intervene in the school's operation to 329
 correct problems in the school's overall performance, declare 330
 the school to be on probationary status pursuant to section 331
 3314.073 of the Revised Code, suspend the operation of the 332
 school pursuant to section 3314.072 of the Revised Code, or 333

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terminate the contract of the school pursuant to section 3314.07 334
of the Revised Code as determined necessary by the sponsor; 335

(6) Have in place a plan of action to be undertaken in the 336
event the community school experiences financial difficulties or 337
closes prior to the end of a school year. 338

(E) Upon the expiration of a contract entered into under 339
this section, the sponsor of a community school may, with the 340
approval of the governing authority of the school, renew that 341
contract for a period of time determined by the sponsor, but not 342
ending earlier than the end of any school year, if the sponsor 343
finds that the school's compliance with applicable laws and 344
terms of the contract and the school's progress in meeting the 345
academic goals prescribed in the contract have been 346
satisfactory. Any contract that is renewed under this division 347
remains subject to the provisions of sections 3314.07, 3314.072, 348
and 3314.073 of the Revised Code. 349

(F) If a community school fails to open for operation 350
within one year after the contract entered into under this 351
section is adopted pursuant to division (D) of section 3314.02 352
of the Revised Code or permanently closes prior to the 353
expiration of the contract, the contract shall be void and the 354
school shall not enter into a contract with any other sponsor. A 355
school shall not be considered permanently closed because the 356
operations of the school have been suspended pursuant to section 357
3314.072 of the Revised Code. 358

Sec. 3319.324. When any school district or chartered 359
nonpublic school receives a request from another district or 360
school to which a student has transferred for that student's 361
school records, the district or school receiving the request 362
shall respond, within five business days after receiving the 363

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request, by transmitting to the requesting district or school
either the student's school records as authorized under section
3319.321 of the Revised Code or, if the district or school has
no record of the student's attendance, a statement of that fact.

The provisions of this section are in addition to, and do
not affect the obligations of a school district or school to
comply with, the requirements of division (D) of section
3313.642 and section 3313.672 of the Revised Code.

Sec. 3326.11. Each science, technology, engineering, and
mathematics school established under this chapter and its
governing body shall comply with sections 9.90, 9.91, 109.65,
121.22, 149.43, 2151.357, 2151.421, 2313.19, 2921.42, 2921.43,
3301.0714, 3301.0715, 3301.0729, 3301.948, 3313.14, 3313.15,
3313.16, 3313.18, 3313.201, 3313.26, 3313.472, 3313.48,
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3321.19, 3321.191, 3327.10, 4111.17, 4113.52, and 5705.391 and
Chapters 102., 117., 1347., 2744., 3307., 3309., 3365., 3742.,
4112., 4123., 4141., and 4167. of the Revised Code as if it were
a school district.

Sec. 3328.24. A college-preparatory boarding school
established under this chapter and its board of trustees shall

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comply with sections 102.02, 3301.0710, 3301.0711, 3301.0712, 394
3301.0714, 3301.0729, 3301.948, 3313.536, 3313.6013, 3313.6021, 395
3313.6411, 3313.7112, 3313.721, 3313.89, 3319.324, 3319.39, 396
3319.391, and 3319.46 and Chapter 3365. of the Revised Code as 397
if the school were a school district and the school's board of 398
trustees were a district board of education. 399

Section 2. That existing sections 3314.03, 3326.11, and 400
3328.24 of the Revised Code are hereby repealed. 401

Section 3. Section 3328.24 of the Revised Code is 402
presented in this act as a composite of the section as amended 403
by both Am. Sub. H.B. 410 and Sub. S.B. 3 of the 131st General 404
Assembly. The General Assembly, applying the principle stated in 405
division (B) of section 1.52 of the Revised Code that amendments 406
are to be harmonized if reasonably capable of simultaneous 407
operation, finds that the composite is the resulting version of 408
the section in effect prior to the effective date of the section 409
as presented in this act. 410

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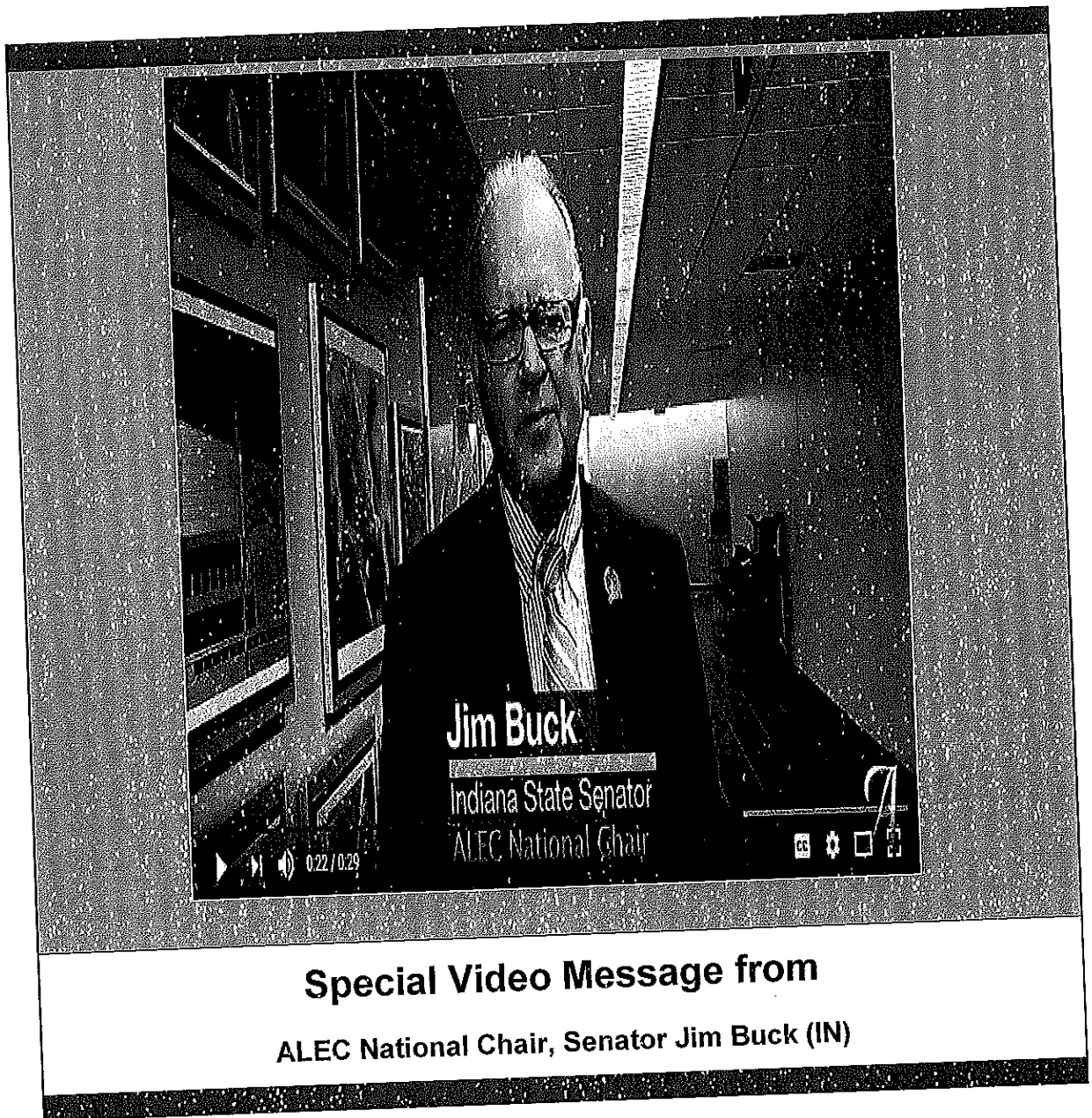




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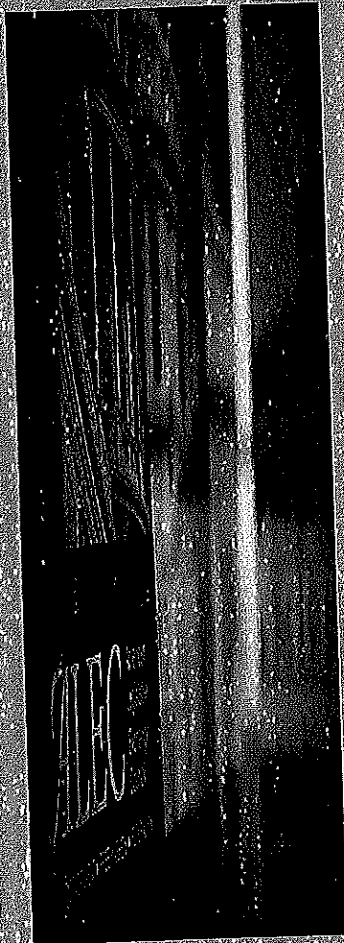


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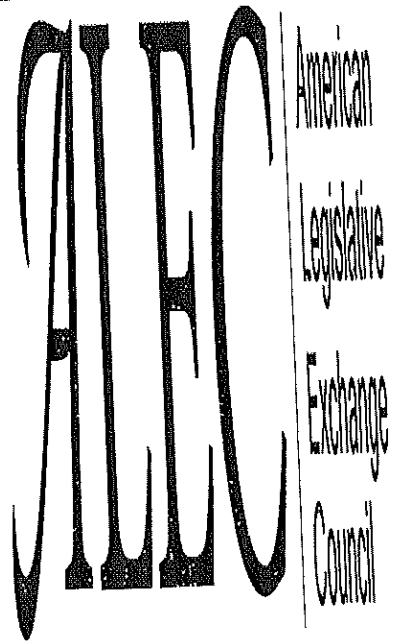
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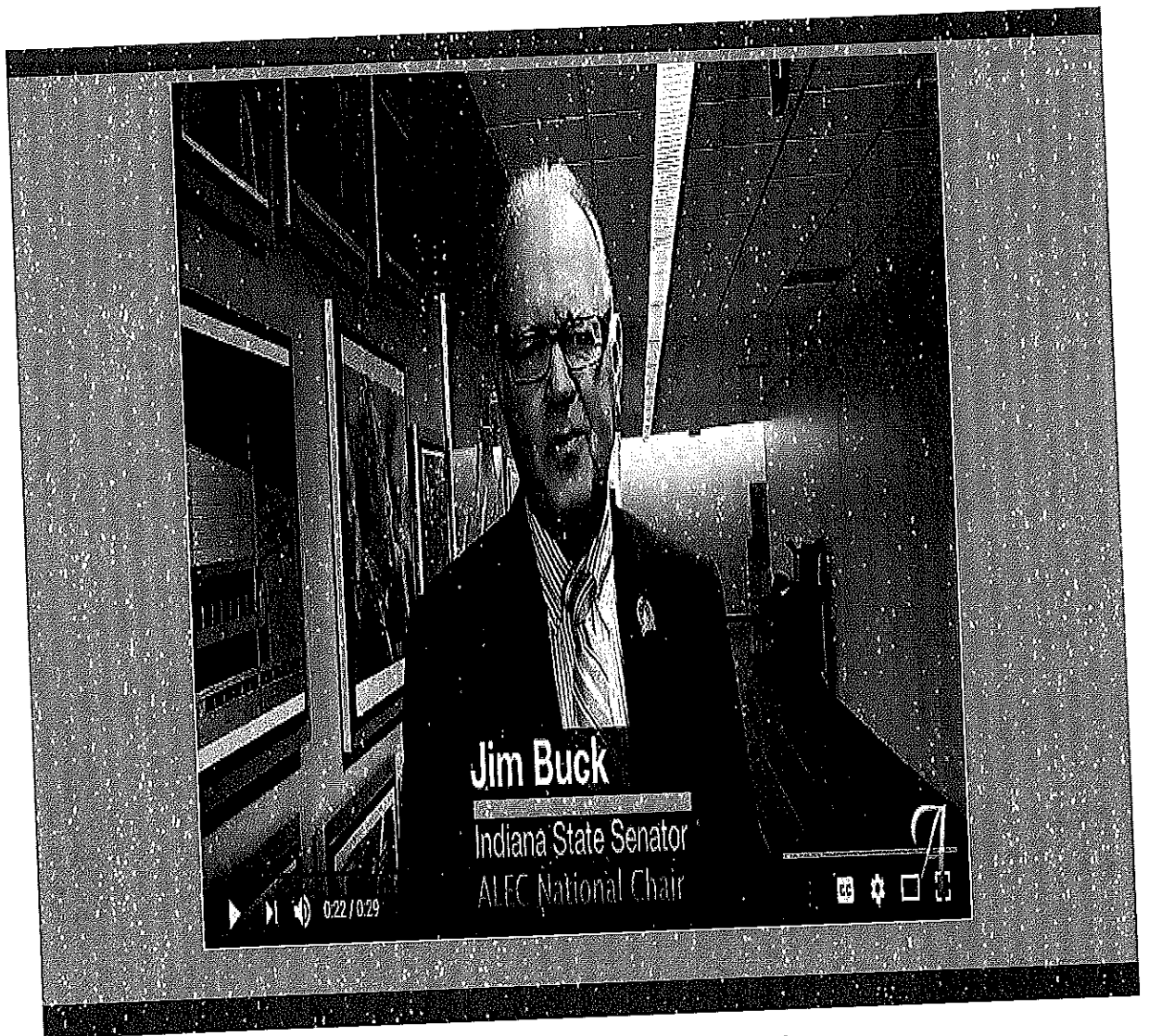
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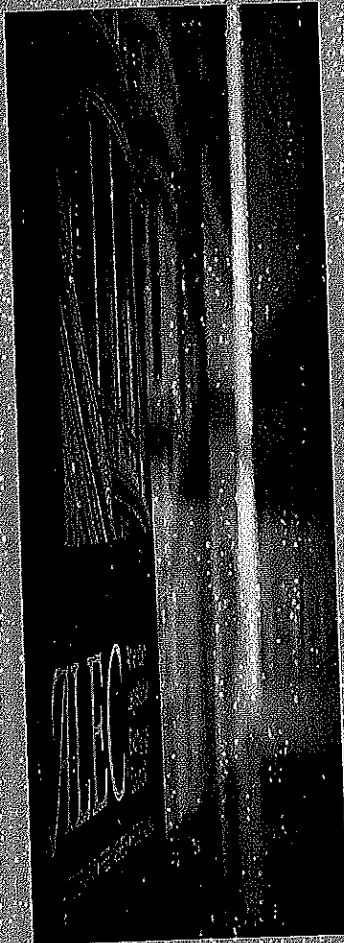


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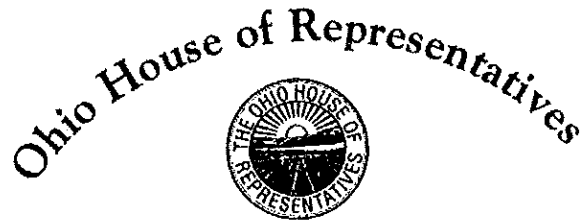
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Committee Schedule Week of November 27, 2017

Tuesday, November 28, 2017

Finance

9:00, Room 313, Chair: Smith, R.

H.B. 281 Carfagna, 2nd Hearing, All Testimony
Establish Last Mile Residential Broadband Expansion Program

H.B. 3 Duffey/Hagan, 2nd Hearing, All Testimony *PA *PV
Improve Transparency of Public Data

H.B. 378 Smith,R./Cera, 1st Hearing, Sponsor Testimony
Create Ohio Broadband Development Grant Program

Financial Institutions, Housing, and Urban Development

9:00 am, Room 114, Chair: Dever

H.B. 390 Merrin, 1st Hearing, Sponsor Testimony
Clarify computation of timelines for forcible entry and detainer

H.B. 386 Henne/Kelly, 1st Hearing, Sponsor Testimony
Modify credit reporting agency fees for a credit report freeze

H.B. 320 Hagan/Roegner, 2nd Hearing, Proponent Testimony
Inform public about state financial status

H.B. 353 Reinecke, 3rd Hearing, All Testimony *PA
Exempt loop credit and reward cards from Unclaimed Funds Law

H.B. 282 Hambley, 4th Hearing, All Testimony *PA
Prohibit criminal mischief against residential rental property

H.B. 329 Pelanda, 4th Hearing, All Testimony *PV
Modify law governing pyramid promotional schemes

Tuesday, November 28, 2017

Ways and Means

9:00 am, Room 121, Chair: Schaffer

H.B. 343 Merrin, 3rd Hearing, All Testimony
Regards how local governments are to contest property values

H.B. 371 Merrin, 3rd Hearing, All Testimony
Exempt increased value of subdivided land until building starts

Economic Development, Commerce, and Labor

1:30 pm, Room 113, Chair: Young

H.B. 263 Lanese, 5th Hearing, All Testimony *PS
Allow dogs in restaurant outdoor dining areas

H.B. 127 Perales/Dever, 3rd Hearing, All Testimony *PA
Establish structural steel and bridge welding requirements

H.B. 392 Stein, 1st Hearing, Sponsor Testimony
Grant apiary owners immunity from certain torts

Energy and Natural Resources

2:30 pm, Room 018, Chair: Landis

H.B. 393 DeVitis/O'Brien, 1st Hearing, Sponsor Testimony
Authorize sale of brine as commodity for surface applications

H.B. 225 Thompson, 3rd Hearing, All Testimony *PS
Regards plugging idle or orphaned wells

Tuesday, November 28, 2017

Education and Career Readiness
4:00 pm, Room 121, Chair: Brenner

**Presentation by State Superintendent Paolo DeMaria on Science, Social Studies, and
Financial Literacy Revised Standards**

H.B. 21 Hambley, 5th Hearing, All Testimony *PV
Verify community school enrollments

H.B. 200 Koehler, 8th Hearing, All Testimony *PA
Create Opportunity Scholarship Program

Wednesday, November 29, 2017

Government Accountability and Oversight

9:30 am, Room 114, Chair: Blessing

H.B. 382 Schuring, 5th Hearing, All Testimony
Revise Unemployment Compensation Law

H.J.R. 4 Schuring, 5th Hearing, All Testimony
Authorize issuance of bonds to pay unemployment benefits

H.B. 87 Roegner, 5th Hearing, All Testimony *PA
Address money returned to state from community school audit

H.B. 341 Huffman/Cera, 4th Hearing, All Testimony *PA
Exempt personal information about judges from disclosure

H.B. 123 Koehler/Ashford, 1st Hearing, Sponsor Testimony
Modify short-term, small, and mortgage loan laws

S.B. 44 LaRose, 2nd Hearing, Proponent Testimony *PA
Allow electronic filing of campaign finance statements

Higher Education and Workforce Development

11:00 am, Room 115, Chair: Duffey

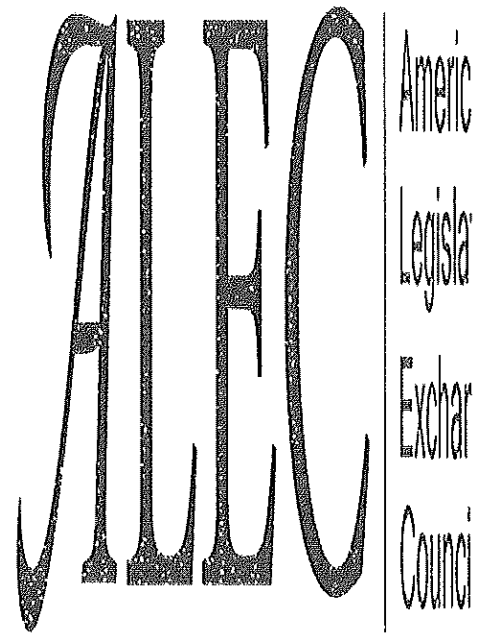
H.B. 66 Young, 6th Hearing, All Testimony *PA *PV
Require tenured faculty to teach minimum load

PV – Possible Vote
PA – Possible Amendments
PS – Possible Substitute

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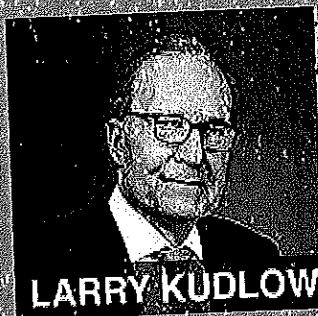


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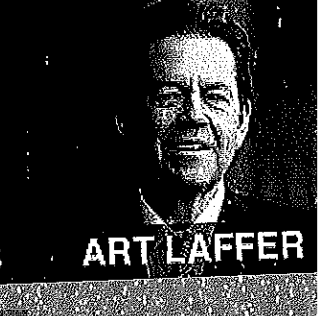
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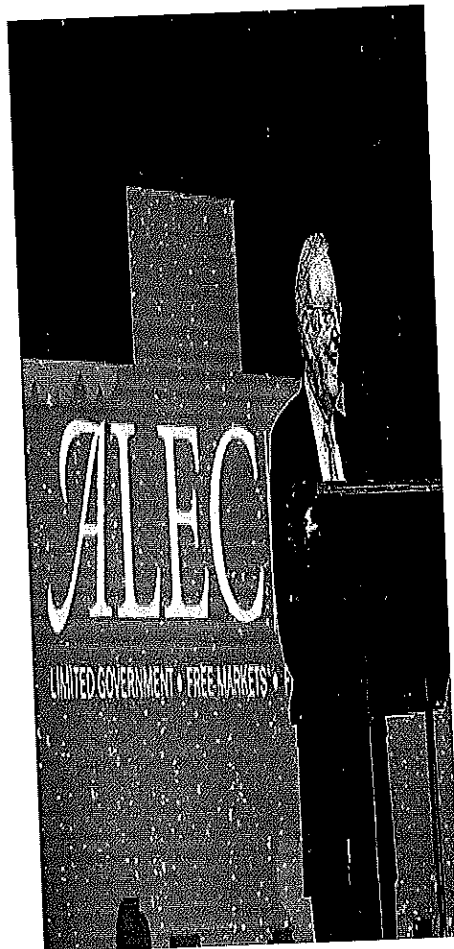
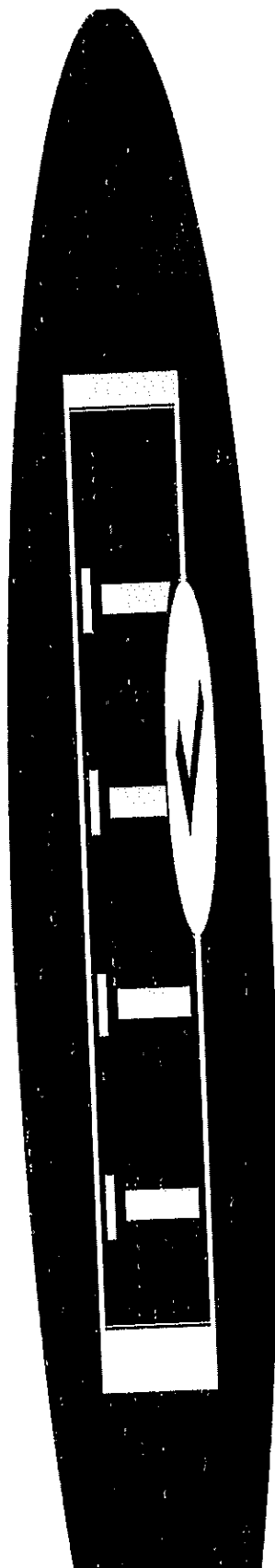
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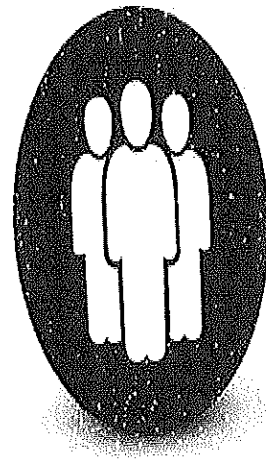
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03 | Networking

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**Committee Schedule
Week of December 4, 2017**

Monday, December 4, 2017

Rules and Reference

10:45 am, Room 119, Chair: Speaker Rosenberger

Controlling Board

1:30 pm, Senate North Hearing Room

Tuesday, December 5, 2017

Financial Institutions, Housing, and Urban Development

9:00 am, Room 114, Chair: Dever

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Exempt increased value of subdivided land until building starts

Tuesday, December 5, 2017

Criminal Justice

1:30 pm (Or After Session), Room 114, Chair: Manning

H.B. 405 Perales, 1st Hearing, Sponsor Testimony
Make counterfeiting a corrupt activity crime

H.B. 409 Butler/Perales, 1st Hearing, Sponsor Testimony
Authorize creation of veterans treatment courts

H.B. 426 Hagan, 1st Hearing, Sponsor Testimony
Prohibit school employees from having sex with students

H.B. 296 Gavarone, 2nd Hearing, Proponent Testimony
Enhance penalty if drug offense near addiction services provider

Economic Development, Commerce, and Labor

1:30 pm, Room 113, Chair: Young

H.B. 164 Patton, 2nd Hearing, Proponent Testimony
Require licensing of commercial roofing contractors

H.B. 392 Stein, 2nd Hearing, Proponent Testimony
Grant apiary owners immunity from certain torts

H.B. 385 West, 1st Hearing, Sponsor Testimony
Protect communications about wages and salary history

Public Utilities

2:30 pm, Room 116, Chair: Cupp

H.B. 247 Romanchuk, 3rd Hearing, Proponent Testimony
Regards utility refunds, market rate service, corporate being

Presentation from former chairman of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC), Chair Pat Wood on the role and responsibility of the FERC in electric utility regulation

Tuesday, December 5, 2017

State and Local Government

2:30 pm (Or After Session), Room 017, Chair: Anielski

H.B. 323 Patterson, 3rd Hearing, All Testimony *PV
Authorize collection of garbage pick-up fees as if taxes

Sub. S.B. 144 Burke, 3rd Hearing, All Testimony *PA *PV
Establish Opportunities for Ohioans with Disabilities Council

H.B. 415 Greenspan/Ryan, 1st Hearing, Sponsor Testimony
Allocate one-half surplus revenue to local road improvements

H.B. 359 Stein, 2nd Hearing, All Testimony
Suggest ceremonial procedure for retiring Ohio state flag

H.B. 370 Perales, 2nd Hearing, All Testimony
Add depiction of Wright flyer to state seal and coat of arms

Energy and Natural Resources

3:00 pm, Room 018, Chair: Landis

H.B. 422 Ginter/Rogers, 1st Hearing, Sponsor Testimony
Govern acquisitions of municipal waterworks and sewage systems

H.C.R. 16 Thompson, 1st Hearing, All Testimony *PV
Counter manipulation of oil market by OPEC

H.B. 225 Thompson, 4th Hearing, All Testimony *PA *PV
Regards plugging idle or orphaned wells

Education and Career Readiness

4:00 pm, Room 121, Chair: Brenner

H.B. 338 Ginter, 4th Hearing, All Testimony *PV
Regards school bus driver medical examinations

H.B. 176 Thompson, 4th Hearing, Interested Party Testimony *PA
Address school assessments and curricula and teacher evaluations

Tuesday, December 5, 2017

Federalism and Interstate Relations
4:00 pm, Room 115, Chair: Roegner

H.R. 193 Antonio/Strahorn, 3rd Hearing, All Testimony *PA *PV
A resolution urging Congress to award a Congressional Medal of Honor to the late Senator John Glenn and Mrs. Annie Glenn

Wednesday, December 6, 2017

Health

9:00 am, Room 121, Chair: Huffman

H.B. 302 Boggs/Antonio, 1st Hearing, Sponsor Testimony
Allow pregnant minor to consent to health care for self or child

S.B. 143 Eklund, 2nd Hearing, Proponent/Opponent Testimony *PV
Designate International Ataxia Awareness Day

H.B. 397 Boggs/Butler, 2nd Hearing, Proponent Testimony
Screen newborns for spinal muscular atrophy

S.B. 164 LaRose, 1st Hearing, Sponsor Testimony *PV
Prohibit abortion if unborn has or may have Down Syndrome

H.B. 258 Hagan/Hood, 3rd Hearing, Opponent Testimony *PA
Prohibit abortion if unborn has detectable heartbeat

H.B. 172 Schuring, 4th Hearing, All Testimony *PA *PV
Modify law governing access to patient medical records

Wednesday, December 6, 2017

Transportation and Public Safety
10:00 am, Room 017, Chair: Green

AUTONOMOUS AND CONNECTED VEHICLE STUDY

Jill Ingrassia, Managing Director, Government Relations & Traffic Safety Advocacy, AAA
Tom Balzer, President & CEO, Ohio Trucking Association
Andrew Jordan, President, Transport Workers Union, Local 208
Jason Swanson, Director, Strategic Foresight, KnowledgeWorks

H.B. 325 Faber, 2nd Hearing, All Testimony *PV
Designate Michael J. Aselage Memorial Highway

H.B. 306 Gonzales, 2nd Hearing, All Testimony *PV
Create Gold Ribbon Awareness license plate

H.B. 260 Butler/Sykes, 3rd Hearing, All Testimony *PA *PV
Grant limited driving privileges in certain circumstances

H.B. 297 Hagan, 4th Hearing, All Testimony *PV
Allow joint owner of vehicle or boat to transfer title on death

H.B. 375 Boccieri/Lepore-Hagan, 1st Hearing, All Testimony *PV
Designate Frank Watson Memorial Highway

H.B. 376 Boccieri/Lepore-Hagan, 1st Hearing, All Testimony *PV
Designate Harry Meshel Memorial Highway

H.B. 387 Boccieri/Lepore-Hagan, 1st Hearing, All Testimony *PV
Designate Women Veterans Bridge

Wednesday, December 6, 2017

Civil Justice

11:00 am, Room 122, Chair: Butler

S.B. 152 Dolan, 1st Hearing, Sponsor Testimony
Regards transfers of structured settlement payment rights

H.B. 419 Henne, 1st Hearing, Sponsor Testimony
Modify defense for police or firefighter vehicular negligence

H.B. 412 Craig, 1st Hearing, Sponsor Testimony
Authorize redacting discriminatory covenants from land records

H.B. 407 Dever/Seitz, 1st Hearing, Sponsor Testimony
Abolish estate by dower

Aging and Long Term Care

2:30 pm, Room 122, Chair: Arndt

H.B. 413 Scherer, 1st Hearing, Sponsor Testimony
Regards PERS cost-of-living adjustments and service credit

Community and Family Advancement

3:00 pm, Room 114, Chair: Ginter

H.B. 340 Young, 4th Hearing, All Testimony *PV
Regards information releases about medical assistance recipients

H.B. 64 Schuring/Reece, 5th Hearing, All Testimony
Expunge if criminal sanction based on mistaken identity

H.B. 383 Carfagna, 2nd Hearing, Proponent Testimony
Notify parents of serious risks to children receiving child care

H.B. 309 Gonzales/Rezabek, 3rd Hearing, All Testimony
Make blindness no impediment to caring for minor

H.B. 366 Gavarone, 2nd Hearing, Proponent Testimony
Change laws governing child support

PV – Possible Vote
PA – Possible Amendments
PS – Possible Substitute

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PRESS RELEASE

Expand Trade Adjustment Assistance to help displaced Ohio workers

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Between 2001 and 2015, 124,000 Ohio workers received federal assistance after losing their jobs due to trade agreements with other nations. During that time, the Economic Policy Institute estimates that Ohio lost nearly as many — 121,500 — jobs to the trade deficit with China alone.

In a new report, Policy Matters Ohio examines the role of Trade Adjustment Assistance (TAA) in helping workers displaced because of free-trade pacts like the North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA). Petitions for TAA assistance are often filed by unions or the relocating or closing companies themselves. Eligible workers receive a cash allowance if they enroll in a full-time training course. TAA also helps workers cover some of the costs of job searching or relocation. Workers 50 or over who take a new job that pays less than \$50,000 may receive a wage supplement of no more than \$10,000. TAA also helps trade-affected workers with a tax credit of up to 72.5 percent of health insurance premium costs.

In response to the Great Recession, President Obama expanded TAA to cover more workers under the federal Stimulus Package. In 2009, the annual number of Ohio's TAA-certified workers peaked at 22,214. Last year, 3,790 Ohio workers received TAA certification. As of November 2017, 3,615 Ohioans have been covered.

"TAA only covers a fraction of Ohio workers harmed by trade policy," said Policy Matters Researcher Hannah Halbert. "The 2009 jump in certified workers proves the expanded program was needed and well-used in Ohio, which still hasn't fully recovered from the recession."

Last year, TAA certifications clustered in counties with more blue-collar jobs. Six petitions in Cuyahoga County covered more than 500 jobs, as did seven in southwest Ohio. Two in Knox and Coshocton counties covered more than 700 jobs.

Meanwhile, workers in other countries have also suffered from bad trade agreements. In 2014, Mexico's poverty rate was higher than when NAFTA began. During NAFTA renegotiations, Canada declared the labor laws in both Mexico and the U.S. to be so poor that they provide an unfair and unjust competitive advantage. Specifically, Canada called for an end to so-called right to work laws that chip away at collective bargaining power for workers.

"It's clear that NAFTA-style free trade agreements have hurt workers while benefitting multinational corporations," Halbert said. "One thing we can do to tip the scales back in the right direction is to expand TAA. The program must be more robust to really help Ohio's displaced workers."

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Good morning,

Nick Derksen and I would like to invite you all to come up and meet the new LSC Fellows assigned to our caucus as they arrive following their House Majority Caucus placement this morning.

2018 House Majority Caucus Fellows (bios attached):

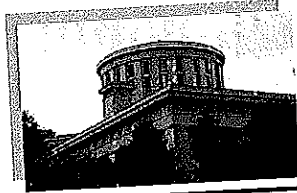
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Hannah Stanbery

Please come give them a warm welcome at **11:30 a.m. on the 14th Floor in the Policy Wing.** Pizza will be provided!

Hope to see you all there!

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2018 LSC FELLOW BIOGRAPHIES

Bryanna Austin
B.A. Political Science
Ashland University

Bryanna, an Akron, Ohio native, is a recent graduate of Ashland University. She studied Political Science and participated in the Ashbrook Scholar Program. While at Ashland, Bryanna also was a member of Alpha Lambda Delta, Pi Sigma Alpha, Theta Phi Alpha, and the Pre-Law Society. She has future plans of becoming a lawyer. A former policy research intern at The Buckeye Institute, Bryanna researched policy regarding criminal justice reform and occupational licensing. Bryanna is a lover of diamonds. More specifically, she has a soft spot for a unique diamond—a baseball diamond. Since the age of three, Bryanna and her twin brother have been loyal fans of the Cleveland Indians. Bryanna's hobbies include shopping, spending time with family and friends, and going to Tribe games. She is excited to start the next phase of her life in Columbus, and she is honored to be a Legislative Fellow. And, as always, GO BUCKS!

Daivon Barrow
B.A. Sport Communication
Ashland University

Daivon recently graduated from Ashland University where he majored in Sport Communication. A native of Columbus, Ohio, Daivon has a passion for serving others. At Ashland University, after a season ending football injury, he started Brothers in Action. The goal of this organization was to improve the interactions and dialogue between all men of different races and ethnicities on campus. Along with being the founder and president of Brothers in Action, Daivon served as a tour guide, a student admissions ambassador, and the senior class vice president. Through his campus involvement, he earned a presidential internship with Ashland University's President Carlos Campo. Daivon enjoys staying active in his community and mentoring young men.

Nicholas Bartulovic
B.A. Political Science and History
Ashland University

Nicholas is a 2017 graduate of Ashland University. There, he studied history and political science with minors in music composition and philosophy. Originally from Hudson, Ohio, Nicholas is primarily interested in political philosophy and aesthetics. He has been involved in many statewide and national campaigns throughout the state of Ohio, all while serving as an intern and scholar at The Buckeye Institute and the Intercollegiate Studies Institute. Though having further aspirations to return to school and teach, Nicholas believes that the art of practicing politics well in the real world is essential to the health of our Republic. Additionally, Nicholas is a classically trained violinist and is

an avid follower of all things relating to Cleveland sports, and has spent the last two years building a library.

Jack Brubaker
B.A. Political Science
Wittenberg University

Jack is a recent political science graduate of Wittenberg University. He previously served as a page in the Ohio House of Representatives. While at Wittenberg, Jack was active in Fishing Club, Rotaract Club (student Rotary Club), Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity, Judiciary Board, and the Alumni Relations Committee. Last fall, he was an intern for State Representative Kyle Koehler's re-election campaign. Jack has aspirations of becoming a lawyer. He's particularly interested in Energy Law and Insurance Law. Following graduation, Jack worked on a guest-ranch in Wyoming. In his free time, Jack enjoys outdoor activities such as fishing and Frisbee golf and volunteering with his church, Upper Arlington Lutheran Church. He is a native of Bexley, Ohio.

Andrea Bush
B.A. Political Science
Ohio State University

In December, Andrea will graduate from Ohio State University with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science with a focus in American Politics, making her a second-generation Buckeye. She entered college as a pharmaceutical science major, but found her passion in political science. Andrea's interest in the Ohio General Assembly and public service dates back to the middle of her college career when she served as an intern and page in the Ohio House of Representatives. Andrea currently serves as a constituent aide in the House with Representative Doug Green. In addition to her work with the GA, Andrea spent a summer working as an Outdoor Education Staff Member with the Lancaster Ohio Parks Department. In her spare time, she enjoys reading, watching movies, and listening to music. Andrea says she spends a lot of time and money looking for albums she will never find and buying books she may never read. Andrea is a Cleveland sports fan and calls Lancaster, Ohio, home.

Carla Carvalho
Bachelor of Social Work
Master of Business Administration
Master of Social Work
Florida State University

Carla was born in São Paulo, Brazil, and raised in southern Florida. She is an advocate and social worker interested in policy. Carla is a graduate of Florida State University, where she earned Bachelor of Social Work, Master of Social Work, and Master of Business Administration degrees. Her education and experience in both micro- and macro-level social work has shaped the way she thinks about government and legislating. Carla is passionate about accessible and affordable treatment for opioid addiction. She is very interested in criminal justice reform, race/ethnic studies, immigration reform, and trauma-informed care. In the past, Carla has been a mentor and a public policy

apprentice with The Children's Campaign in Tallahassee, Florida. Her hobbies include cooking, exercising, and reading and writing about social justice issues.

Joseph Cicchillo
B.A. Politics and Government
Ohio Wesleyan University

Joseph recently graduated from Ohio Wesleyan University, where he majored in Politics and Government and minored in Economics. He was born and raised in Atlanta, Georgia. Ohio Wesleyan brought him to Ohio and fostered his love for the state. While at Ohio Wesleyan, Joseph joined Delta Tau Delta Fraternity. Along with his fraternal involvement, Joseph was a government relations assistant for the Association of Independent Colleges and Universities of Ohio. He has legislative office experience from his time serving as a congressional intern with Congressman Tom Price. During the summer of 2014, Joseph served as a campaign intern with Jack Kingston's primary senatorial campaign in Atlanta, Georgia. He is a huge *Game of Thrones* follower and an avid fan of soccer and video games. Joseph enjoys listening to music, with his favorite genre being rock.

Sarah Crock
B.A. Communication
Asbury University

Sarah Crock is a Uniontown, Ohio, native and a 2017 graduate of Asbury University with a B.A. in Communication. During Sarah's time at Asbury, she enjoyed working in several departments in such positions as ambassador for admissions and student writer for the advancement office. Sarah was also employed with the alumni and student development offices. In addition to spending a semester studying in Spain, she was heavily involved in the leadership of several large-scale projects for Asbury. Those projects included the Highbridge Film Festival and a 5K that raised support funds for a community member. Sarah first explored state politics by attending TeenPact as a high school student. In her spare time, Sarah enjoys performing and playing violin, a hobby of over ten years.

Robert Crum
B.A. Politics and Government
Ohio Wesleyan University

Robert is a recent graduate of Ohio Wesleyan University, where he majored in Politics and Government and minored in Economics. During his time at Ohio Wesleyan, Robert served as a residential assistant which allowed him to develop administrative skills. He first gained public service experience during a church trip in the Appalachian regions of Kentucky. Robert has experience working in a legislative office from his internships with Congressman Pat Tiberi and Senator Rob Portman. He has served as a member of Ohio Wesleyan's Republican Mock Convention and a student-led improvisational comedy troupe.

Mark Finneran
B.A. Political Science
Ohio State University

Mark was not always interested in politics, but that would all change during his senior year of high school. It was then that his government teacher opened his eyes to the power of government over our daily lives. Mark graduated from Ohio State University in May with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science. During his time at OSU, Mark was active in politics, serving as a finance staffer for statewide campaigns in the 2014 and 2016 election cycles and as a member of College Democrats. In 2015, Mark served as an intern in Senator Cecil Thomas' office. Since graduation, Mark has been employed at The Success Group as an office manager and scheduler. Outside of politics, Mark's passions include the Cleveland Browns, *Seinfeld*, and his dog.

Jessica Frank
B.A. English and Political Science
Xavier University

Originally from Cleveland, Ohio, Jessie has lived in Cincinnati for the past four years while studying English and Political Science at Xavier University, where she earned her Bachelor of Arts degree this past May. Her studies led her to particularly focus on questions related to income inequality, political participation, artistic social transformation, racism, and feminism. While at Xavier, Jessie worked at the university's Writing Center, pursued her passion for social justice in the Dorothy Day Center for Faith and Justice, and served as a political science research assistant. Her prior work experience includes internships with the City of Cincinnati, the *Cincinnati Enquirer*, and the Ohio House of Representatives. This summer, she worked as a Seasongood Intern for Cincinnati's Citizen Complaint Authority, an impartial agency that investigates allegations against police officers and aims to improve police-community relations. When there is downtime, Jessie enjoys cooking, running, and writing poetry.

Greta Frost
B.A. Political Science/International Relations and Economics
Youngstown State University

Greta is a recent graduate of Youngstown State University with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Economics and Political Science/International Relations. Greta received the Leslie H. Cochran University Full Academic Scholarship at YSU, which required participation in the Honors College as well as completing at least sixty hours of community service per academic year. During her time in college, Greta completed internships as a Legislative Intern with Congressman Tim Ryan (OH-13) in Washington, D.C., as well as an internship with the Western Reserve Port Authority, conducting research on brownfield sites and analyzing their impact on property values in Mahoning and Trumbull counties. She also worked as Campaign Manager for Representative John Bocchieri's re-election campaign in the fall of 2016. Greta has a strong interest in studying Arabic language as she demonstrated through her time studying abroad in Morocco in 2014. Her future plans include continuing to work as a public servant and attending law school in Washington, D.C. In her free time, Greta enjoys running and watching Netflix.

Ángel Guzman**B.A. International Relations and Diplomacy****Ohio State University**

Ángel was born and raised in Puerto Rico, where he grew-up with a strong passion for domestic and international politics, languages and cultures. He moved to Columbus in 2013, pursuing a college education at Ohio State University. While in school, Ángel quickly grew fond of Ohio and decided to get involved in organizations and communities within his campus and around the city. At OSU, Ángel participated in the John Glenn Learning Community and the Politics Society and Law Scholars, while also being involved in culturally driven groups such as the Latino, Puerto Rican, and Brazilian Student Associations. He had the opportunity to intern at the Community Refugee and Immigration Services and at the Center for Latin American Studies, providing ESL courses to clients from Africa and the Middle East as well as university services to Latin American students and faculty. Later, Ángel became especially interested in State Government through the Gluck-Asher Program, in which he interned with State Representative John Patterson, helping and serving Ashtabula County's constituents. This past May, Ángel graduated from OSU with a Bachelor of Arts degree in International Relations and Diplomacy with minors in Portuguese and City and Regional Planning. Ángel's plans for the future include studying law and being actively involved in state government, both in Ohio and Puerto Rico.

Benjamin Kindel**B.A. Political Science****Kent State University**

Benjamin is a native of Parma, Ohio. This December, he will graduate from Kent State University with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science. Benjamin has served as a Congressional Intern with Congressman Dave Joyce as well as an intern with Shumaker Advisors. On his campus, he was active with the Dean's Student Advisory Council and the Mock Trial Team. Benjamin was not always interested in politics. While in high school, he was determined to become an engineer and join the military. After his first government class, Benjamin's plans shifted. His future plans include some advocacy work and issue lobbying. With his spare time, Benjamin enjoys running, hiking, and staying active.

Sarah Knepp**B.A. Political Science and Journalism****Miami University**

Sarah graduated from Miami University in May with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Journalism and Political Science and a minor in Spanish. While at Miami, she wrote for the student newspaper and worked as a campus tour guide, among other things. Sarah was also actively involved in her sorority, Delta Delta Delta, where she served as recruitment director for three years and as a member of various other committees that helped organize events for the group. One of Sarah's most memorable moments at Miami was meeting Piper Kerman, the woman who inspired the series *Orange is the New Black*. Her favorite memory, though, was spending a summer in Washington, D.C., working on Capitol Hill through Miami's Inside Washington program. She is looking forward to being back in

the public sector and applying all that she's learned the past four years to help change lives in the State of Ohio. Sarah calls Toledo, Ohio, home.

John Markovich
B.A. Political Science
Kent State University

John was born and raised in Youngstown, Ohio. In May of 2017, he graduated from Kent State University with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science with a focus in American Politics. John is a first-generation college graduate, which is something that his family is very proud of. While in school, he served as a Library Assistant at the KSU Library and as an Officer in the Pre-Law Club. John has worked as a server for over three years at Michael Alberini's Restaurant and Wine Shop and as a Camp Counselor at the Leonard Kirtz School. He has volunteered on several local and statewide campaigns and at various elementary schools around Youngstown. John's interest in politics grew when he participated in Kent State's Columbus Program in State Issues. He has written several research papers that include such topics as judicial politics, the history and relevance of Ohio as a bellwether state in presidential elections, and racial inequalities related to mass incarceration of minorities. In his spare time, John enjoys golfing, fishing, and biking the trails in Mill Creek Park.

J. Collin Marozzi
B.A. Political Science
Allegheny College
M.A. Applied Politics
University of Akron

Collin was born and raised in Rootstown, Ohio, located in Portage County. After graduating from Rootstown High School, he attended Allegheny College in Meadville, Pennsylvania, where he earned his Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science. During his time at Allegheny, Collin served as president of his fraternity and was a member of the men's golf team. Upon graduation from Allegheny College, Collin moved back to Northeast Ohio and spent a gap year working in public service. He decided to apply and was accepted at the University of Akron's Bliss Institute to pursue his Master's degree in Applied Politics. While studying at Akron, Collin spent a majority of the 2016 school year in Columbus working for both a non-profit and a U.S Senator's office. During his undergraduate and graduate studies, Collin worked for several political campaigns ranging from national presidential elections to local judicial campaigns. When he isn't working, Collin loves to golf and cheer on his Cleveland sports teams (as difficult as that is sometimes) and he is an avid reader.

Kate Millen
B.A. Family Science
Miami University

Kate graduated from Miami University in May of 2017. She earned degrees in both Family Studies and Political Science. After graduation, she worked as a professional recruiter with a healthcare firm. Kate was raised in Perrysburg, Ohio, and is a recent addition to the Columbus area. She has previous experience in the field of politics, interning for both the Ohio House of Representatives and for her

local Congressman. In her free time, Kate enjoys running outside on local trails and reading a good book. She also enjoys hanging out with her dog and catching up on the news, both local and from around the world. Her greatest belief is to work hard and to always "go for it," because no matter what happens, it was an experience to learn from. Kate is thrilled to begin this opportunity with the fellowship program. She looks forward to the immeasurable knowledge to be gained and to the ability to contribute her perspective to the tasks at hand.

Autumn Mitchell
B.A. Political Science
University of Toledo

Autumn graduated from the University of Toledo in 2016 with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science and a concentration in Public Administration. Her most memorable moments during her undergraduate years include working as a new student orientation leader and mentoring incoming multicultural freshmen. Upon graduation, Autumn committed to a year of full-time service with AmeriCorps VISTA to implement Connect 2 Complete, a retention program focused on civic engagement. Autumn decided to join AmeriCorps VISTA because she believes that with the right resources and mentoring, any student can succeed at an institution of higher education. As a first-generation college student, Autumn overcame challenges and would like to inspire others to do the same. She desires to learn more about the policymaking process and how she can lend a voice in the future. In her spare time, Autumn enjoys playing volleyball in adult leagues, traveling with family, and binge watching Netflix shows.

Allison Schoeppner
B.A. Global Studies War and Peace
M.A. International Development Studies
Ohio University

Allison grew up in Athens, Ohio, and attended Ohio University where she earned her Bachelor of Arts degree in Global Studies - War and Peace and her Master of Arts degree in International Development Studies. During her time at OU, Allison did extensive work with the school's Global Leadership Center. First, earning a certificate in Global Leadership, and then serving as a graduate assistant. Through this work, Allison traveled to Ghana and Vietnam, working on various projects. Previously, she worked as a Community/Student Organizer for United Campus Ministries and as a Desk and Field Researcher for Global News Matters. Allison's future plans are to work in the non-profit sector. In her free time, Allison enjoys reading, traveling, and being outdoors, especially in water.

Mitchell Smith
B.A. Political Science and American Studies
M.A. History
University of Arkansas
Ph.D. History (ABD)
Ohio University

Originally from Bentonville, Arkansas, Mitchell earned his B.A. in 2009 from the University of Arkansas in Fayetteville with majors in Political Science and American Studies and a minor in History. The following fall, Mitchell re-enrolled at Arkansas to begin an M.A. in American History. Upon completing his master's thesis, Mitchell began his doctorate at Ohio University in Athens, Ohio, where he became a fellow at the Contemporary History Institute. While pursuing his PhD, Mitchell also worked as a teaching assistant, research assistant, and instructor. He has received numerous scholarships from both internal and external funding sources, including the Claude Kantner Graduate Fellowship from Ohio University and a Moody Research Grant from the Lyndon Johnson Presidential Library. The awards were used to conduct primary source research for his dissertation, which examines grassroots support for America's Vietnam War. Outside of the classroom, Mitchell was also an active participant in both Student Senate and Graduate Student Senate at Ohio University and worked with local charities such as Big Brothers, Big Sisters and the St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry.

Hannah Stanbery
B.A. Political Science and M.P.A.
Bowling Green State University

Hannah is originally from Newark, Ohio, and is a current graduate student at Bowling Green State University in the Master's Program for Public Administration. While a graduate student, she is working on her thesis, conducting research for a professor and working for BGSU's Title IX Office. She also received her Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science from BGSU, where she participated in Undergraduate Student Government as Chief of Staff and Sigma Kappa as the Executive Vice President. She hopes to continue her career in government for the State of Ohio. In her free time, Hannah likes to travel and spend time with her golden retriever, Freddie.

Sydney Waltz
B.F.A. Motion Picture Production
Wright State University

Sydney was born and raised in New Philadelphia, Ohio. As a high school freshman, she developed a love for "old" movies and anything that had to do with movie making. After years of delving into filmmaking, Sydney realized it was her calling, so she decided to pursue motion picture production as a career. She received her Bachelor of Fine Arts degree in Motion Picture Production from Wright State University in May of 2016. After graduating, Sydney had the privilege to work on several feature films in Ohio and Kentucky, which allowed her to gain real-world experience in the industry. In addition, several of Sydney's college films are being shown at festivals around the United States.

Through these film festivals, she has the opportunity to network with other filmmakers and focus on her career path of becoming the filmmaker she's always wanted to be.

Seth Wenrich

B.A. Film Studies

Ohio State University

Seth grew up in the Columbus suburb of Westerville, Ohio. Choosing Ohio State University was easy because his mother, who he affectionately calls "mum," was an alumnus. Seth began his college career studying computer science, but ended up combining his passions for the film world and technology to discover the big, broad world of video production. From there, Seth met many friends and learned a great deal before interning for WOSU, a local station where he met many great people, including a mentor of his, Chuck Oney. Post-graduation, Seth aspires to one day be a high-up editor of some sort, with a jaw-dropping suite, working for either the greatest television channels or even the greatest directors.

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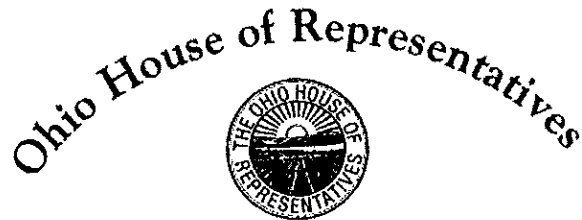
Good Afternoon,

Attached is the House Committee Schedule for the week of Monday, December 11, 2017.
Any additions or revisions will be reflected on the version located on Ohiohouse.gov under the committees tab and will be marked in green.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Have a great weekend!

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Committee Schedule Week of December 11, 2017

Monday, December 11, 2017

Joint Committee on Agency Rule Review
1:30 pm, Room 121, Chair: Duffey

Tuesday, December 12, 2017

Finance

9:00 am, Room 313, Chair: Smith, R.

H.B. 3 Duffey/Hagan, 3rd Hearing, All Testimony *PV
Improve Transparency of Public Data

H.B. 281 Carfagna, 3rd Hearing, All Testimony *PS
Establish Last Mile Residential Broadband Expansion Program

H.B. 378 Smith, R./Cera, 2nd Hearing, Proponent Testimony
Create Ohio Broadband Development Grant Program

H.B. 102 Brenner, 2nd Hearing, Proponent Testimony
Revise School Funding

Tuesday, December 12, 2017

Financial Institutions, Housing, and Urban Development

9:00 am, Room 114, Chair: Dever

H.B. 386 Henne/Kelly, 3rd Hearing, All Testimony
Modify credit reporting agency fees for a credit report freeze

H.B. 390 Merrin, 3rd Hearing, Opponent Testimony
Clarify computation of timelines for forcible entry and detainer

H.B. 182 Seitz, 4th Hearing, All Testimony *PS *PV
Address debt adjusting

H.B. 353 Reineke, 5th Hearing, All Testimony *PS *PV
Exempt loop credit and reward cards from Unclaimed Funds Law

Ways and Means

9:00 am, Room 121, Chair: Schaffer

H.B. 343 Merrin, 5th Hearing *PA
Regards how local governments are to contest property values

H.B. 371 Merrin, 5th Hearing *PA
Exempt increased value of subdivided land until building starts

H.B. 337 Duffey, 2nd Hearing, Proponent Testimony
Exempt college textbook purchases from sales tax

Rules and Reference

11:30 am, Room 119, Chair: Speaker Rosenberger

Tuesday, December 12, 2017

Criminal Justice

1:30 pm, Room 114, Chair: Manning

H.B. 56 Dever/Gavarone, 3rd Hearing, All Testimony *PS *PV
Expunge criminal record if caused by human trafficking

Sub. S.B. 4 Kunze/Oelslager, 3rd Hearing, All Testimony *PS *PV
Expand expungement and intervention

H.B. 96 Hughes, 3rd Hearing, All Testimony *PA *PS *PV
Increase penalty for sexual imposition

H.B. 389 Antonio, 1st Hearing, Sponsor Testimony
Abolish the death penalty

H.B. 423 Lang/Seitz, 1st Hearing, Sponsor Testimony
Define masked intimidation as a crime

H.B. 365 Hughes/Boggs, 4th Hearing, All Testimony
Enact Reagan Tokes Act-indefinite prison terms/GPS monitoring

H.B. 405 Perales, 2nd Hearing, Proponent Testimony
Make counterfeiting a corrupt activity crime

H.B. 276 Rezabek/Greenspan, 3rd Hearing, All Testimony *PA *PS
Prohibit menacing utility worker with intent to obstruct utility

Economic Development, Commerce, and Labor

1:30 pm, Room 113, Chair: Young

H.B. 392 Stein, 3rd Hearing, Opponent Testimony
Grant apiary owners immunity from certain torts

H.B. 164 Patton, 3rd Hearing, Opponent Testimony
Require licensing of commercial roofing contractors

Tuesday, December 12, 2017

State and Local Government

2:30 pm, Room 017, Chair: Anielski

H.B. 359 Stein, 3rd Hearing, All Testimony *PV
Suggest ceremonial procedure for retiring Ohio state flag

H.B. 370 Perales, 3rd Hearing, All Testimony *PV
Add depiction of Wright flyer to state seal and coat of arms

H.B. 415 Greenspan/Ryan, 2nd Hearing, All Testimony
Allocate one-half surplus revenue to local road improvements

H.B. 298 Merrin, 1st Hearing, Sponsor Testimony
Change public employee sick day allowance

Public Utilities

3:00 pm, Room 116, Chair: Cupp

H.B. 381 DeVitis, 1st Hearing, Sponsor Testimony
Address zero-emissions nuclear resource program

H.B. 247 Romanchuk, 4th Hearing, Opponent/Interested Party Testimony
Regards utility refunds, market rate service, corporate being

Education and Career Readiness

4:00 pm, Room 121, Chair: Brenner

H.B. 377 Hagan/Ramos, 2nd Hearing, Sponsor/Proponent Testimony
Require age-appropriate sexual abuse and violence instruction

H.B. 246 Bocchieri/Rezabek, 2nd Hearing, Proponent Testimony *PS
Provide funding for county DD board classroom facilities

H.B. 360 Greenspan, 3rd Hearing, Opponent/Interested Party Testimony
Enact Ohio Anti-Bullying and Hazing Act

H.B. 108 Hagan/McColley, 4th Hearing, All Testimony *PA
Include financial literacy in high school curriculum

Wednesday, December 13, 2017

Health

9:00 am, Room 121, Chair: Huffman

H.B. 172 Schuring, 5th Hearing *PA *PV
Modify law governing access to patient medical records

H.B. 191 Gonzales, 2nd Hearing, Proponent Testimony
Regards practice of registered nurse anesthetists

H.B. 258 Hagan/Hood, 4th Hearing *PV
Prohibit abortion if unborn has detectable heartbeat

Insurance

10:00 am, Room 116, Chair: Brinkman

H.B. 156 Schuring, 5th Hearing, All Testimony *PS
Address vision care insurance limits

H.B. 268 Henne, 3rd Hearing, Opponent Testimony
Change workers' comp self-insuring employer law

H.B. 269 Henne, 3rd Hearing, Opponent Testimony
Rename workers' comp entities and revise benefits

H.B. 416 Huffman, 1st Hearing, Sponsor Testimony
Regards cost estimates for scheduled health care services

Wednesday, December 13, 2017

Transportation and Public Safety
10:00 am, Room 017, Chair: Green

S.B. 6 Hoagland, 1st Hearing, Sponsor Testimony
Continue Bridge Partnership Program

S.B. 134 Gardner, 1st Hearing, All Testimony
Lt Col Thomas P. Belkofer Memorial

H.B. 190 Lepore-Hagan/Schuring, 4th Hearing, All Testimony *PV
Stop, watch, and listen for on-track equipment at rail crossings

H.B. 250 Brinkman, 4th Hearing, All Testimony *PV
Establish requirements for using electric bicycles

H.B. 347 Kelly/Dever, 1st Hearing, All Testimony *PV
Designate Sonny L. Kim Memorial Highway

H.B. 293 Scherer/Sheehy, 2nd Hearing, Proponent Testimony
Alter time periods pertaining to new drivers

H.B. 384 Gonzales, 2nd Hearing, Proponent Testimony
Require sending only one notice after vehicle towed privately

Alzheimer's and Dementia Workgroup Meeting
10:30 am, Netzley Room, Chair: Pelanda

Aging and Long Term Care
2:30 (Or After Session), Room 122, Chair: Arndt

H.B. 413 Scherer, 2nd Hearing, Proponent Testimony
Regards PERS cost-of-living adjustments and service credit

Wednesday, December 13, 2017

Community and Family Advancement

3:00 pm (Or After Session), Room 114, Chair: Ginter

H.B. 340 Young, 5th Hearing *PV
Regards information releases about medical assistance recipients

H.B. 64 Schuring/Reece, 6th Hearing *PV
Expunge if criminal sanction based on mistaken identity

H.B. 309 Gonzales/Rezabek, 4th Hearing *PV
Make blindness no impediment to caring for minor

H.B. 383 Carfagna, 3rd Hearing All Testimony
Notify parents of serious risks to children receiving child care

H.B. 366 Gavarone, 3rd Hearing, Opponent Testimony
Change laws governing child support

Federalism and Interstate Relations

3:00 pm (Or After Session), Room 115, Chair: Roegner

H.B. 228 Johnson/LaTourette, 2nd Hearing *PS
Regards self-defense and handling firearms

Thursday, December 14, 2017

Joint Medicaid Oversight Committee

9:00 am, Room 313, Chair: Huffman

PV – Possible Vote
PA – Possible Amendments
PS – Possible Substitute

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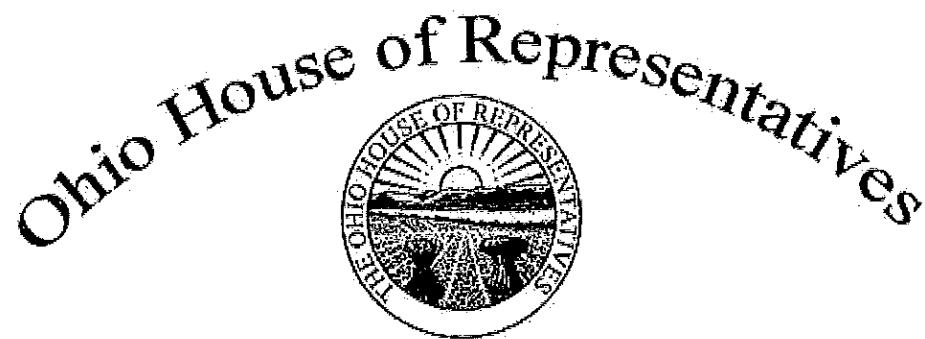
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- Gould Offers Ballot Measure to Regulate Pot, Alcohol Similarly
- Senate Republicans Will Consider Removing O'Neill in January
- Renacci Picks Cincinnati Councilwoman as Running Mate
- Buckeye Institute, National Group Push Money Bail Reform in HB439
- DRC/DYS to Pursue Co-location of Central Office Headquarters; JJC Opposes Move
- PUCO Council Opens Applications for Trombold's Expiring Seat
- School Board Discusses Ways ESSA Plan Could Change Report Card
- State Board Committee Approves Waiver for Columbus Africentric School
- School Board Could Ease Standard Poised to Push Colleges Out of Diploma Program
- JCARR Hears Discussion on Prescribing Rule, Inflatable Inspection Fees
- State Launches Early Learning Portal
- Campus Chronicle: BGSU; John Carroll
- Ohio Attorney General Opinion
- Executive Actions: Appointments
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Ohio's 65th House District

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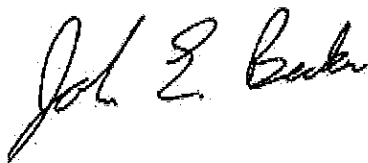
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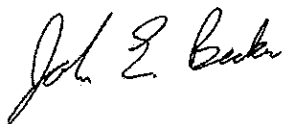
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- [Becker Proposes Six Right to Work Constitutional Amendments](#)
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The ACRU hosted a voting integrity policy and legislative seminar at the American Legislative Exchange Council (ALEC) winter conference. More details found at the ACRU [Election Integrity Bulletin](#).

LEAD

ACRU Focus: Legislators Not Shy in Pushing 'Model' Bills

At the behest of the American Civil Rights Union, legislators across the nation who belong to the American Legislative Exchange Council could be sponsoring bills in the next couple of years requiring local election commissions to take a closer look at people who miss jury duty. "All we want is honest voting," says Susan Carleson, chairman and CEO of the American Civil Rights Union, which put on a voter integrity seminar during the ALEC 2017 States & Nation Policy Summit held at Nashville's Omni Hotel.

STATES

Florida: Experts: Broward's elections chief broke law in destroying ballots

The election supervisor in Florida's second-most populous county broke the law by destroying ballots cast in last year's congressional primary.

North Carolina: 12 indicted in Alamance County for voting as felons

Police in North Carolina are seeking people accused of voting in the 2016 general election while still on felony probation or post-release supervision. A grand jury had indicted 12 people for violating state election laws.

New York: Developers Sentenced To Prison for Voter Fraud

A federal judge sentenced a developer to ten months in prison, a year of supervised release, 400 hours of community service and a \$20,000 fine, for the fraudulent registration of voters.

Wisconsin: After Report, GOP leaders of Legislature Calling for Ethics and Elections Leaders to resign

The fate of Wisconsin's Elections and Ethics commission administrators may come down to a highly unusual and dramatic vote in the state Senate. Senate Majority Leader Scott Fitzgerald says if they don't resign, he will schedule a vote next month to reject their confirmation.

West Virginia: New voter ID law coming to the Mountain State

A new voter ID law will soon be going into effect in West Virginia. Beginning January 1, the state's new voter ID law will be going into effect.

REDISTRICTING

Supreme Court agrees to hear Maryland redistricting case

The Supreme Court said that it will hear a challenge to Maryland's congressional districts brought by seven Republican voters who say the state's 2011 redistricting violated their First Amendment rights.

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HOUSE E-CLIPS

12/20/2017

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REPORT SUGGESTS STATE AGENCY ALREADY HAS VIOLATED NEW CONTRACTING POLICY

After The Dispatch revealed the Ohio Department of Administrative Services awarded \$15 million in unbid contracts to favored information-technology consultants, the agency promised to clean up its act.

NEW WHALEY AD PRAISES WORK, PROMISES JOBS

Dayton Mayor Nan Whaley has released a new internet ad touting the dignity of work as she seeks the Democratic nomination for governor.

Dayton Daily News www.daytondailynews.com

LEHNER'S BILL AIMS TO CHANGE OHIO TEACHER EVALUATION SYSTEM

The Ohio Teacher Evaluation System (OTES) could see significant changes if a bill recently introduced by State Sen. Peggy Lehner (R-Kettering) becomes law.

STATE SENATOR TO RUN FOR MIAMI COUNTY COMMISSION

State Sen. Bill Beagle (R-Tipp City) today declared his candidacy for a seat on the Miami County Commission.

THE ENQUIRER

'RIGHT TO WORK' IN OHIO? GOP LAWMAKER WANTS VOTERS TO CHOOSE

Undeterred by the acrimonious fight over Senate Bill 5, GOP Rep. John Becker wants voters to choose whether Ohio should become a right-to-work state.

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Importance: High

Representative Craig S. Riedel
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Each of the six amendments would appear on
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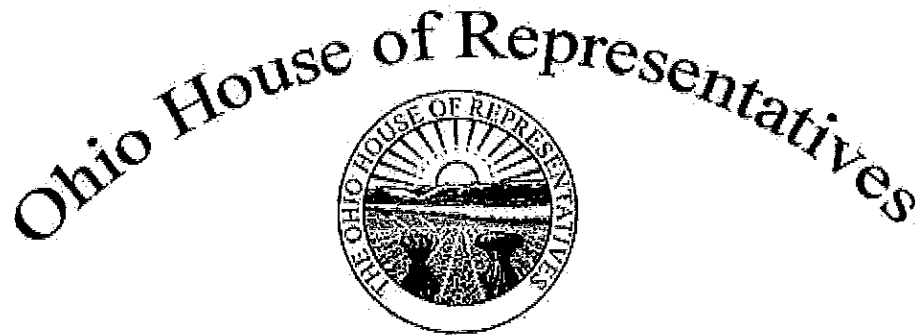
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Rep. Vitale is a co-sponsor on public-sector right-to-work (amendment #2).

Revised deadline to co-sponsor is TODAY at 5:00 PM. Please note which constitutional amendment(s) you wish to co-sponsor.



Representative John Becker
Ohio's 65th House District

Representative Craig S. Riedel
Ohio's 82nd House District

MEMORANDUM

To: GOP House Members

From: Representative John Becker and Representative Craig S. Riedel

Date: Wednesday, December 20, 2017

RE: REVISED: Co-Sponsor Request: Six Right-to-Work Constitutional Amendments

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If you would like to co-sponsor this legislation or have any questions, please contact Joe Michalowski at (614) 466-8134 or joe.michalowski@ohiohouse.gov. Please indicate which constitutional amendment(s) you wish to co-sponsor. **The deadline to co-sponsor is TODAY- Wednesday, December 20, 2017, at 4:00 P.M.**

Thank you for your time and consideration of this legislation.

John E. Becker C.S. Riedel

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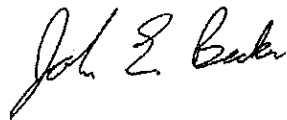
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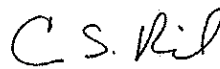
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From: Westlake, Libby
Sent: Monday, January 8, 2018 9:39 AM
To: Westlake, Libby
Subject: E-Clips for 1/8/2018

HOUSE E-CLIPS

1/8/2018

AP Associated Press

OHIO BANS SALE OF DOZENS OF INVASIVE PLANTS UNDER NEW RULES

Ohio has banned the sale of more than three dozen invasive plant species under new rules that took effect Sunday.

PROPOSED OHIO LAW WOULD PREVENT FORCED NURSE OVERTIME

A shortage of nurses in Ohio has prompted a state lawmaker to propose a law that would ban hospitals from requiring nurses to work overtime.

The Columbus Dispatch *Ohio's Greatest Online Newspaper*

JOSH MANDEL QUITTING US SENATE CHALLENGE OF SHERROD BROWN SEAT

Because of an unspecified health issue involving his wife, Ohio Treasurer Josh Mandel is dropping out of the race to challenge Democratic U.S. Sen. Sherrod Brown.

KASICH SETS PRIMARY FOR TIBERI SEAT FOR MAY 8; SPECIAL ELECTION ON AUG. 7

Ohio Gov. John Kasich has set the elections in which voters will determine who will be nominated — and ultimately serve — the remainder of the term of resigning U.S. Rep. Pat Tiberi.

OHIO GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS MIGHT BE SOFTENED FOR CLASSES OF 2019 AND 2020

The Ohio Board of Education is expected to urge lawmakers next week to back off tougher new requirements to graduate high school for at least another two years.

TAYLOR STAYS FIRM WITH GOVERNOR RUN; RENACCI REPORTEDLY CONSIDERING BID FOR SENATE

Lt. Gov. Mary Taylor plans to stay the course with her run for the Republican gubernatorial nomination and will not seek to replace Josh Mandel in the GOP quest to unseat Democratic Sen. Sherrod Brown this year.

38 SPECIES OF INVASIVE PLANTS NOW ILLEGAL TO SELL IN OHIO

Ohio is taking a swing at nature's bullies.

ECOT CASE PROMPTS CALLS FOR BETTER RULES TO VERIFY STUDENT

ENROLLMENT

As the Ohio Supreme Court prepares to hear arguments in ECOT's lawsuit regarding repayments for unverified students, some legislators say it's time for more clarity.

TOP OHIO HOUSE GOP AIDE LEAVING FOR CAMPAIGN ROLES

After 15 years in the Ohio House, having worked his way up from low-level page to chief of staff for the speaker, Mike Dittoe is stepping down.

OHIO PURGE OF VOTER ROLLS GETS SUPREME COURT SCRUTINY THIS WEEK

To the state of Ohio, it is nothing more than a housekeeping device to keep the voting rolls up to date.

OHIO SCHOOL DISTRICTS ANXIOUS FOR REFUNDS FROM ECOT'S \$60 MILLION

REPAYMENT

The checks are not yet in the mail, but they will be coming.

WILL 2018 BE THE YEAR OF THE WOMAN? SIGNS POINT TO YES

On any given year, EMILY'S List — the Democratic organization that recruits pro-choice women to run for office — draws the interest of a few hundred women thinking of running for office.

EDITORIAL: LEGISLATURE FAILED OHIO CONSUMERS

The Ohio legislature's blinkered priorities and pandering to industry interests is made plain in its failure to end the abusive practices of "submetering," which forces more than 28,000 households in central Ohio alone to pay heftier electricity and water bills.

Dayton Daily News

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GROUP PUSHING BALLOT MEASURE TO INCREASE REGULATION OF PUPPY MILLS

Following a dramatic showdown between animal rights groups and agriculture heavy weights seven years ago, Ohio struck a deal to bring about sweeping reforms for how farm animals are handled.

ARE YOU OWED MONEY? OHIO'S UNCLAIMED FUND HITS \$2.6 BILLION

Now that the holidays are over and the credit card bills are due, it might be a good time to check to see if the state of Ohio is hanging onto any money you forgot about.

ARE OHIO'S LICENSING RULES OUT OF WHACK?

It takes nearly a year of training to become a licensed barber in Ohio, but one can become an advanced emergency medical technician — with the ability to administer narcotics — in less than six weeks.

THE PLAIN DEALER

JOSH MANDEL DROPS OUT OF THE SENATE RACE

Republican Ohio Treasurer Josh Mandel announced Friday his withdrawal from the race for U.S. Senate.

JEFF JOHNSON, FORMER CLEVELAND COUNCILMAN, PLANS TO CHALLENGE OHIO SEN. SANDRA WILLIAMS IN MAY PRIMARY

Jeff Johnson, just days after leaving office as a Cleveland council member following an unsuccessful run for mayor, says he plans to challenge Ohio Sen. Sandra Williams in the May Democratic primary.

WHAT ATTRIBUTES SHOULD A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE HAVE? IT'S NOT JUST THE "THREE R'S" ANYMORE

What should a high school graduate look like in Ohio?

OHIO STILL HAS A POLITICAL GENDER GAP, BUT NOT IN THE RACE FOR GOVERNOR: A WOMAN'S PLACE

Betty Sutton knows what it's like to be the only female politician in a room full of men.

VOTING IN OHIO MATTERS - LOOK AT THE 141 TIES AND ONE-VOTE RACES IN THE LAST FIVE YEARS: THOMAS SUDDERS

Ohio's neighboring state once-removed, Virginia, showed last week why every vote counts in American elections.

THE ENQUIRER

JOSH MANDEL'S SHOCKING EXIT HAS REPUBLICANS CONCERNED. AND THEY DON'T HAVE MUCH TIME TO REPLACE HIM.

Minutes after Republican U.S. Senate candidate Josh Mandel quit the race Friday afternoon, reality set in for Republicans.

THE BLADE

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REPUBLICAN LAWMAKERS PUSH TO MAKE OHIO "RIGHT TO WORK"

More than six years after voters resoundingly rejected similar proposals at the polls, a package of proposed constitutional amendments have been introduced to make Ohio the 29th state to enact "right to work."

OHIO VOTERS WILL HAVE MULTIPLE CANDIDATES TO CHOOSE FROM IN 2018

Ohio faces a mixed bag of political races this year, with contests ranging from governor all the way down to local judgeships and leadership of the Lucas County Republican Party.

EDITORIAL: OPIOID AID FOR OHIO'S TOWNS

Ohio, especially small-town Ohio, is now enduring a sociological and budgetary perfect storm.

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From: Blessing, Heather
Sent: Monday, January 8, 2018 11:56 AM
To: Sarko, Alyssa; Kasych, Shawn
Subject: FW: HB 390, 131st GA Grant, FW: Conference Call
Attachments: 2016 Capital Bill corrections HB 390.pdf;
reFirstFlightBusParkJLL.pdf; For Sale sign at the WCF.jpg; 160607WCF-pressconf-
12-72dpi.jpg; 160607WCF-pressconf-15-72dpi.jpg; 160607WCF-pressconf-31-
72dpi.jpg

Dear Alyssa and Shawn:

Megan Burke (OFCC) (copied on this email) asked me the following question about what the Speaker had intended (if at all) for the Dayton Aviation Heritage National Historic Park in HB 390 from last GA. I don't know if the appropriation was one advocated by the Speaker or another member – Dan was unable to find anything on point in his notes or otherwise.

The organization wants to use the money to purchase additional land for the park – the site they are looking at to purchase is identified as a site within the Dayton Aviation Heritage National Historical Park based on PL 111-11 (approved by Congress in 2009). The language of the bill (p. 153, http://search-prod.lis.state.oh.us/solarapi/v1/general_assembly_131/bills/hb390/EN/06?format=pdf) doesn't really provide much guidance. It just appropriates \$1M to the Dayton Aviation Heritage National Historic Park out of the Cultural and Sports Facilities Building Fund (Fund 7030).

Megan just didn't know if the Speaker had thought the money was going to be used for existing infrastructure on the park's existing property, and wanted to check with our office as a courtesy. Apparently the Speaker alluded to using the capital appropriation onsite at some speech in June 2016. But whether it is used onsite or used to purchase land that is part of the Historical Park under federal law, either option is a permitted use of the funds.

Neither Dan nor I have any notes on the history of this request (it was actually added into HB 390 on the Senate side, but the OFCC seems to think the capital budget request emanated from the Speaker's office. They as a courtesy want to make sure they are not going against the Speaker's wishes with regards to the use of the funds.

If you could let me know either way (whether the Speaker had a specific intent for the use of these funds or not), I would greatly appreciate it.

Sincerely,
Heather Blessing

Heather N. Blessing, Esq.

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From: Blessing, Heather
Sent: Thursday, January 04, 2018 9:43 AM
To: Baker, Dan
Subject: FW: HB 390, 131st GA Grant, FW: Conference Call

Dan,

-Heather

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From: Megan.Burke@ofcc.ohio.gov [<mailto:Megan.Burke@ofcc.ohio.gov>]
Sent: Wednesday, January 03, 2018 4:12 PM
To: Blessing, Heather <Heather.Blessing@ohiohouse.gov>
Subject: HB 390, 131st GA Grant, FW: Conference Call

Hi Heather,

Thanks for looking into the legislative intent on this. \$1M was allocated in HB 390 for the Dayton Aviation Heritage National Historic Park. We believe the intent is to use this money to expand the existing Aviation park (it consists of multiple areas and buildings currently). Mr. Sculimbrene would like to use the \$1M to purchase the land for sale (see attached

business park document) and he believe Speaker Rosenberger had this same intent when lobbying for the appropriation. OFCC needs to know if this is the legislative intent for the money or if it was to go towards the existing Park's structures and land.

Give me a call if you need additional explanation.

Thanks,

Megan

Megan Burke
Legislative Affairs Manager



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From: DeLong, Jessica
Sent: Wednesday, January 3, 2018 3:22 PM
To: Burke, Megan <Megan.Burke@ofcc.ohio.gov>
Subject: FW: Conference Call

From: Anthony Sculimbrene [<mailto:afs@aviationheritagearea.org>]
Sent: Wednesday, January 03, 2018 3:19 PM

To: DeLong, Jessica <Jessica.Delong@ofcc.ohio.gov>

Subject: RE: Conference Call

Jessica-the \$1 Million is described on page 153 of the attached bill. Technically, the Wright Factory site is identified as a site within the Dayton Aviation Heritage National Historical Park based on PL 111-11 (approved by Congress in 2009). In terms of legislative intent, I can assure you that Speaker Rosenberg was intending for these funds to be used at this site based on his remarks at the announcement in June 2016. I have attached a few photos of his announcement event at the site. Please let me know who is the point of contact for this grant if it doesn't fall within your area of responsibility.

I have attached the property brochure and the for sale sign that just went up on the property. I believe we will eventually reach a deal, I just don't want to pay a premium price for this site. The \$1 Million dollar price tag they wanted when the project began in 2012 was well above the market rate for the area. \$1.25 Million is exorbitant!

Tony Sculimbrene
Executive Director
National Aviation Heritage Alliance
937 475 7627

AN ACT

To amend sections 103.71, 103.74, 120.33, 122.171, 122.85, 124.152, 124.181, 124.382, 126.32, 127.19, 181.22, 301.28, 305.31, 305.42, 323.47, 323.73, 1303.38, 2303.26, 2327.01, 2327.02, 2327.04, 2329.01, 2329.151, 2329.17, 2329.18, 2329.19, 2329.20, 2329.21, 2329.26, 2329.271, 2329.28, 2329.30, 2329.31, 2329.33, 2329.34, 2329.39, 2329.45, 2329.52, 2329.56, 2909.07, 2941.51, 3316.042, 3375.404, 3702.511, 4141.25, 4741.11, 5145.162, 5302.01, 5537.02, 5721.371, 5721.39, 5739.01, 5739.02, and 5747.51, to enact sections 122.076, 2308.01, 2308.02, 2308.03, 2308.04, 2329.071, 2329.152, 2329.153, 2329.154, 2329.211, 2329.311, 2329.312, 3701.981, 4141.251, 5302.31, 5721.372, and 5721.373, and to repeal sections 324.01, 324.02, 324.021, 324.03, 324.04, 324.05, 324.06, 324.07, 324.08, 324.09, 324.10, 324.11, 324.12, and 324.99 of the Revised Code, to amend Sections 207.190, 223.10, 229.10, 245.10, 251.10, 257.10, 257.20, 263.50, 263.220, 263.390, 275.10, 305.10, 305.30, 305.53, 305.120, 309.10, and 379.10 of Am. Sub. H.B. 64 of the 131st General Assembly, to amend Sections 263.10 and 371.10 of Am. Sub. H.B. 64 of the 131st General Assembly, as subsequently amended, to amend Sections 253.120, 273.10, 273.30, and 287.10 of Am. Sub. S.B. 260 of the 131st General Assembly, and to amend Sections 203.10, 207.10, 207.80, 207.90, 207.100, 207.220, 207.240, 207.280, 207.290, 221.10, and 239.10 of S.B. 310 of the 131st General Assembly, and to repeal Section 9 of Sub. H.B.

238 of the 131st General Assembly to provide authorization and conditions for the operation of state programs and to make appropriations.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Ohio:

SECTION 101.01. That sections 103.71, 103.74, 120.33, 122.171, 122.85, 124.152, 124.181, 124.382, 126.32, 127.19, 181.22, 301.28, 305.31, 305.42, 323.47, 323.73, 1303.38, 2303.26, 2327.01, 2327.02, 2327.04, 2329.01, 2329.151, 2329.17, 2329.18, 2329.19, 2329.20, 2329.21, 2329.26, 2329.271, 2329.28, 2329.30, 2329.31, 2329.33, 2329.34, 2329.39, 2329.45, 2329.52, 2329.56, 2909.07, 2941.51, 3316.042, 3375.404, 3702.511, 4141.25, 4741.11, 5145.162, 5302.01, 5537.02, 5721.371, 5721.39, 5739.01, 5739.02, and 5747.51 be amended and sections 122.076, 2308.01, 2308.02, 2308.03, 2308.04, 2329.071, 2329.152, 2329.153, 2329.154, 2329.211, 2329.311, 2329.312, 3701.981, 4141.251, 5302.31, 5721.372, and 5721.373 of the Revised Code be enacted to read as follows:

Sec. 103.71. There is hereby created a correctional institution inspection committee as a subcommittee of the legislative service commission. The committee shall consist of eight persons, four of whom shall be members of the senate appointed by the president of the senate, not more than two of whom shall be members of the same political party, and four of whom shall be members of the house of representatives appointed by the speaker of the house of representatives, not more than two of whom shall be members of the same political party. Initial appointments to the committee shall be made within fifteen days after the effective date of this section July 1, 1993, and in the manner prescribed in this section. Thereafter, appointments to the committee shall be made within fifteen days after the commencement of the first regular session of the general assembly and in the manner prescribed in this section. A vacancy on the committee shall be filled for the unexpired term in the same manner as the original appointment. Members of the committee shall serve on the committee until the appointments are made in the first regular session of the following general assembly, unless they cease to be members of the general assembly. ~~The committee, subject to the oversight and direction of the legislative service commission, shall direct the work of the director and staff of the committee.~~

Sec. 103.74. The correctional institution inspection committee may employ ~~a director and any other nonlegal staff, who shall be in the unclassified service of the state, that are necessary for the committee to~~

~~carry out its duties and may contract for the services of whatever nonlegal technical advisors are necessary for the committee to carry out its duties. The attorney general shall act as legal counsel to the committee.~~

~~The chairperson and vice chairperson of the legislative service commission shall fix the compensation of the director. The director, with the approval of the director of the legislative service commission, shall fix the compensation of other staff of the committee in accordance with a salary schedule established by the director of the legislative service commission. Contracts for the services of necessary technical advisors shall be approved by the director of the legislative service commission.~~ professional, technical, and clerical employees as are necessary for the committee to be able to successfully and efficiently perform the committee's duties. All employees are in the unclassified service and serve at the committee's pleasure.

The committee may contract for the services of persons who are qualified by education and experience to advise, consult with, or otherwise assist the committee in the performance of the committee's duties.

The committee, subject to the oversight and direction of the legislative service commission, shall direct the work of the employees. Any decision related to the duties of employees or related to employment shall be made by a majority of the committee unless a majority of the committee is unable to decide a matter, in which case the chairperson shall decide the matter.

The general assembly shall biennially appropriate to the correctional institution inspection committee an amount sufficient to enable the committee to perform its duties. Salaries and expenses incurred by the committee shall be paid from that appropriation upon vouchers approved by the chairperson of the committee.

Sec. 120.33. (A) In lieu of using a county public defender or joint county public defender to represent indigent persons in the proceedings set forth in division (A) of section 120.16 of the Revised Code, the board of county commissioners of any county may adopt a resolution to pay counsel who are either personally selected by the indigent person or appointed by the court. The resolution shall include those provisions the board of county commissioners considers necessary to provide effective representation of indigent persons in any proceeding for which counsel is provided under this section. The resolution shall include provisions for contracts with any municipal corporation under which the municipal corporation shall reimburse the county for counsel appointed to represent indigent persons charged with violations of the ordinances of the municipal corporation.

(1) In a county that adopts a resolution to pay counsel, an indigent person shall have the right to do either of the following:

(a) To select the person's own personal counsel to represent the person in any proceeding included within the provisions of the resolution;

(b) To request the court to appoint counsel to represent the person in such a proceeding.

(2) The court having jurisdiction over the proceeding in a county that adopts a resolution to pay counsel shall, after determining that the person is indigent and entitled to legal representation under this section, do either of the following:

(a) By signed journal entry recorded on its docket, enter the name of the lawyer selected by the indigent person as counsel of record;

(b) Appoint counsel for the indigent person if the person has requested the court to appoint counsel and, by signed journal entry recorded on its dockets, enter the name of the lawyer appointed for the indigent person as counsel of record.

(3) The board of county commissioners shall establish a schedule of fees by case or on an hourly basis to be paid to counsel for legal services provided pursuant to a resolution adopted under this section. Prior to establishing the schedule, the board of county commissioners shall request the bar association or associations of the county to submit a proposed schedule for cases other than capital cases. The schedule submitted shall be subject to the review, amendment, and approval of the board of county commissioners, except with respect to capital cases. With respect to capital cases, the schedule shall provide for fees by case or on an hourly basis to be paid to counsel in the amount or at the rate set by the ~~supreme court~~ capital case attorney fee council pursuant to division (D) of this section, and the board of county commissioners shall approve that amount or rate.

(4) Counsel selected by the indigent person or appointed by the court at the request of an indigent person in a county that adopts a resolution to pay counsel, except for counsel appointed to represent a person charged with any violation of an ordinance of a municipal corporation that has not contracted with the county commissioners for the payment of appointed counsel, shall be paid by the county and shall receive the compensation and expenses the court approves. With respect to capital cases, the court shall approve compensation and expenses in accordance with the amount or at the rate set by the ~~supreme court~~ capital case attorney fee council pursuant to division (D) of this section. Each request for payment shall be accompanied by a financial disclosure form and an affidavit of indigency that are completed by the indigent person on forms prescribed by the state public defender. Compensation and expenses shall not exceed the amounts fixed by the board of county commissioners in the schedule adopted pursuant to

division (A)(3) of this section. No court shall approve compensation and expenses that exceed the amount fixed pursuant to division (A)(3) of this section.

The fees and expenses approved by the court shall not be taxed as part of the costs and shall be paid by the county. However, if the person represented has, or may reasonably be expected to have, the means to meet some part of the cost of the services rendered to the person, the person shall pay the county an amount that the person reasonably can be expected to pay. Pursuant to section 120.04 of the Revised Code, the county shall pay to the state public defender a percentage of the payment received from the person in an amount proportionate to the percentage of the costs of the person's case that were paid to the county by the state public defender pursuant to this section. The money paid to the state public defender shall be credited to the client payment fund created pursuant to division (B)(5) of section 120.04 of the Revised Code.

The county auditor shall draw a warrant on the county treasurer for the payment of counsel in the amount fixed by the court, plus the expenses the court fixes and certifies to the auditor. The county auditor shall report periodically, but not less than annually, to the board of county commissioners and to the state public defender the amounts paid out pursuant to the approval of the court. The board of county commissioners, after review and approval of the auditor's report, or the county auditor, with permission from and notice to the board of county commissioners, may then certify it to the state public defender for reimbursement. The state public defender may pay a requested reimbursement only if the request for reimbursement is accompanied by a financial disclosure form and an affidavit of indigency completed by the indigent person on forms prescribed by the state public defender or if the court certifies by electronic signature as prescribed by the state public defender that a financial disclosure form and affidavit of indigency have been completed by the indigent person and are available for inspection. If a request for the reimbursement of the cost of counsel in any case is not received by the state public defender within ninety days after the end of the calendar month in which the case is finally disposed of by the court, unless the county has requested and the state public defender has granted an extension of the ninety-day limit, the state public defender shall not pay the requested reimbursement. The state public defender shall also review the report and, in accordance with the standards, guidelines, and maximums established pursuant to divisions (B)(7) and (8) of section 120.04 of the Revised Code, prepare a voucher for fifty per cent of the total cost of each county appointed counsel system in the period of

time covered by the certified report and a voucher for fifty per cent of the costs and expenses that are reimbursable under section 120.35 of the Revised Code, if any, or, if the amount of money appropriated by the general assembly to reimburse counties for the operation of county public defender offices, joint county public defender offices, and county appointed counsel systems is not sufficient to pay fifty per cent of the total cost of all of the offices and systems other than costs and expenses that are reimbursable under section 120.35 of the Revised Code, for the lesser amount required by section 120.34 of the Revised Code.

(5) If any county appointed counsel system fails to maintain the standards for the conduct of the system established by the rules of the Ohio public defender commission pursuant to divisions (B) and (C) of section 120.03 or the standards established by the state public defender pursuant to division (B)(7) of section 120.04 of the Revised Code, the Ohio public defender commission shall notify the board of county commissioners of the county that the county appointed counsel system has failed to comply with its rules or the standards of the state public defender. Unless the board of county commissioners corrects the conduct of its appointed counsel system to comply with the rules and standards within ninety days after the date of the notice, the state public defender may deny all or part of the county's reimbursement from the state provided for in division (A)(4) of this section.

(B) In lieu of using a county public defender or joint county public defender to represent indigent persons in the proceedings set forth in division (A) of section 120.16 of the Revised Code, and in lieu of adopting the resolution and following the procedure described in division (A) of this section, the board of county commissioners of any county may contract with the state public defender for the state public defender's legal representation of indigent persons. A contract entered into pursuant to this division may provide for payment for the services provided on a per case, hourly, or fixed contract basis.

(C) If a court appoints an attorney pursuant to this section to represent a petitioner in a postconviction relief proceeding under section 2953.21 of the Revised Code, the petitioner has received a sentence of death, and the proceeding relates to that sentence, the attorney who represents the petitioner in the proceeding pursuant to the appointment shall be certified under Rule 20 of the Rules of Superintendence for the Courts of Ohio to represent indigent defendants charged with or convicted of an offense for which the death penalty can be or has been imposed.

(D)(1) There is hereby created the capital case attorney fee council, appointed as described in division (D)(2) of this section. The supreme court

council shall set an amount by case, or a rate on an hourly basis, to be paid under this section to counsel in a capital case.

(2) The capital case attorney fee council shall consist of five members, all of whom shall be active judges serving on one of the district courts of appeals in this state. Terms for council members shall be the lesser of three years or until the member ceases to be an active judge of a district court of appeals. The initial terms shall commence ninety days after the effective date of this amendment. The chief justice of the supreme court shall appoint the members of the council, and shall make all of the appointments not later than sixty days after the effective date of this amendment. When any vacancy occurs, the chief justice shall appoint an active judge of a district court of appeals in this state to fill the vacancy for the unexpired term, in the same manner as prescribed in this division. The chief justice shall designate a chairperson from the appointed members of the council. Members of the council shall receive no additional compensation for their service as a member, but may be reimbursed for expenses reasonably incurred in service to the council, to be paid by the supreme court. The supreme court may provide administrative support to the council.

(3) The capital case attorney fee council initially shall meet not later than one hundred twenty days after the effective date of this amendment. Thereafter, the council shall meet not less than annually.

(4) Upon setting the amount or rate described in division (D)(1) of this section, the chairperson of the capital case attorney fee council promptly shall provide written notice to the state public defender of the amount or rate so set. The amount or rate so set shall become effective ninety days after the date on which the chairperson provides that written notice to the state public defender. The council shall specify that effective date in the written notice provided to the state public defender. All amounts or rates set by the council shall be final, subject to modification as described in division (D)(5) of this section, and not subject to appeal.

(5) The capital case attorney fee council may modify an amount or rate set as described in division (D)(4) of this section. The provisions of that division apply with respect to any such modification of an amount or rate.

Sec. 122.076. (A) As used in this section:

(1) "Alternative fuel" means compressed natural gas, liquid natural gas, or liquid petroleum gas.

(2) "Alternative fuel vehicle" means a motor vehicle that is registered in this state for operation on public highways, is propelled by a motor that runs on alternative fuel, and has a gross vehicle rating of at least twenty-six thousand pounds. "Alternative fuel vehicle" includes a bi-fueled or

dual-fueled vehicle with a motor that can run on both alternative fuel and on gasoline or diesel fuel.

(3) "New alternative fuel vehicle" means an alternative fuel vehicle that meets all of the following criteria:

(a) The purchaser purchased the vehicle from an original equipment manufacturer, automobile retailer, or after-market conversion facility.

(b) The purchaser was the first person to purchase the vehicle not for resale.

(c) The purchaser purchased the vehicle for use in business.

(d) The alternative fuel technology used in the vehicle has received a compliance designation or been certified by the United States environmental protection agency for new or intermediate use.

(4) "Traditional fuel vehicle" means a motor vehicle that is registered in this state for operation on public highways and that is propelled by gasoline or diesel fuel.

(5) "Adjusted purchase price" means the portion of the purchase price of a new alternative fuel vehicle that is attributable to the parts and equipment used for the storage of alternative fuel, the delivery of alternative fuel to the motor, and the exhaust of gases from the combustion of alternative fuel.

(6) "Conversion parts and equipment" shall not include parts and equipment that have previously been used to modify or retrofit another traditional fuel vehicle.

(B) The director of environmental protection shall administer an alternative fuel vehicle conversion program under which the director may make grants to a person that purchases one or more new alternative fuel vehicles or converts one or more traditional fuel vehicles into alternative fuel vehicles.

(C) The director shall adopt rules in accordance with Chapter 119. of the Revised Code that are necessary for the administration of the alternative fuel vehicle conversion program. The rules shall establish all of the following:

(1) An application form and procedures governing the process for applying to receive a grant under the program;

(2) The maximum grant amount allowed per alternative fuel vehicle, which shall equal the lesser of fifty per cent of the adjusted purchase price of the new alternative fuel vehicle or of the cost of the conversion parts and equipment, as applicable, or twenty-five thousand dollars;

(3) The limit on the total amount of grants allowed to a person that purchases or converts multiple alternative fuel vehicles, which shall equal four hundred thousand dollars;

(4) A requirement that each grant recipient attest that, of the total

number of miles that the recipient or any employee or agent of the recipient will drive the alternative fuel vehicle, over half will be within this state;

(5) Any other procedures, criteria, or grant terms that the director determines necessary to administer the program.

Sec. 122.171. (A) As used in this section:

(1) "Capital investment project" means a plan of investment at a project site for the acquisition, construction, renovation, or repair of buildings, machinery, or equipment, or for capitalized costs of basic research and new product development determined in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, but does not include any of the following:

(a) Payments made for the acquisition of personal property through operating leases;

(b) Project costs paid before January 1, 2002;

(c) Payments made to a related member as defined in section 5733.042 of the Revised Code or to a consolidated elected taxpayer or a combined taxpayer as defined in section 5751.01 of the Revised Code.

(2) "Eligible business" means a taxpayer and its related members with Ohio operations satisfying all of the following:

(a) The taxpayer employs at least five hundred full-time equivalent employees or has an annual Ohio employee payroll of at least thirty-five million dollars at the time the tax credit authority grants the tax credit under this section;

(b) The taxpayer makes or causes to be made payments for the capital investment project of one of the following:

(i) If the taxpayer is engaged at the project site primarily as a manufacturer, at least fifty million dollars in the aggregate at the project site during a period of three consecutive calendar years, including the calendar year that includes a day of the taxpayer's taxable year or tax period with respect to which the credit is granted;

(ii) If the taxpayer is engaged at the project site primarily in significant corporate administrative functions, as defined by the director of development services by rule, at least twenty million dollars in the aggregate at the project site during a period of three consecutive calendar years including the calendar year that includes a day of the taxpayer's taxable year or tax period with respect to which the credit is granted.

(c) The taxpayer had a capital investment project reviewed and approved by the tax credit authority as provided in divisions (C), (D), and (E) of this section.

(3) "Full-time equivalent employees" means the quotient obtained by dividing the total number of hours for which employees were compensated

for employment in the project by two thousand eighty. "Full-time equivalent employees" shall exclude hours that are counted for a credit under section 122.17 of the Revised Code.

(4) "Ohio employee payroll" has the same meaning as in section 122.17 of the Revised Code.

(5) "Manufacturer" has the same meaning as in section 5739.011 of the Revised Code.

(6) "Project site" means an integrated complex of facilities in this state, as specified by the tax credit authority under this section, within a fifteen-mile radius where a taxpayer is primarily operating as an eligible business.

(7) "Related member" has the same meaning as in section 5733.042 of the Revised Code as that section existed on the effective date of its amendment by Am. Sub. H.B. 215 of the 122nd general assembly, September 29, 1997.

(8) "Taxable year" includes, in the case of a domestic or foreign insurance company, the calendar year ending on the thirty-first day of December preceding the day the superintendent of insurance is required to certify to the treasurer of state under section 5725.20 or 5729.05 of the Revised Code the amount of taxes due from insurance companies.

(B) The tax credit authority created under section 122.17 of the Revised Code may grant a nonrefundable tax credit to an eligible business under this section for the purpose of fostering job retention in this state. Upon application by an eligible business and upon consideration of the determination of the director of budget and management, tax commissioner, and the superintendent of insurance in the case of an insurance company, and the recommendation and determination of the director of development services under division (C) of this section, the tax credit authority may grant the credit against the tax imposed by section 5725.18, 5726.02, 5729.03, 5733.06, 5736.02, 5747.02, or 5751.02 of the Revised Code.

The credit authorized in this section may be granted for a period up to fifteen taxable years or, in the case of the tax levied by section 5736.02 or 5751.02 of the Revised Code, for a period of up to fifteen calendar years. The credit amount for a taxable year or a calendar year that includes the tax period for which a credit may be claimed equals the Ohio employee payroll for that year multiplied by the percentage specified in the agreement with the tax credit authority. The credit shall be claimed in the order required under section 5725.98, 5726.98, 5729.98, 5733.98, 5747.98, or 5751.98 of the Revised Code. In determining the percentage and term of the credit, the tax credit authority shall consider both the number of full-time equivalent

employees and the value of the capital investment project. The credit amount may not be based on the Ohio employee payroll for a calendar year before the calendar year in which the tax credit authority specifies the tax credit is to begin, and the credit shall be claimed only for the taxable years or tax periods specified in the eligible business' agreement with the tax credit authority. In no event shall the credit be claimed for a taxable year or tax period terminating before the date specified in the agreement.

If a credit allowed under this section for a taxable year or tax period exceeds the taxpayer's tax liability for that year or period, the excess may be carried forward for the three succeeding taxable or calendar years, but the amount of any excess credit allowed in any taxable year or tax period shall be deducted from the balance carried forward to the succeeding year or period.

(C) A taxpayer that proposes a capital investment project to retain jobs in this state may apply to the tax credit authority to enter into an agreement for a tax credit under this section. The director of development services shall prescribe the form of the application. After receipt of an application, the authority shall forward copies of the application to the director of budget and management, the tax commissioner, and the superintendent of insurance in the case of an insurance company, each of whom shall review the application to determine the economic impact the proposed project would have on the state and the affected political subdivisions and shall submit a summary of their determinations and recommendations to the authority. The authority shall also forward a copy of the application to the director of development services, who shall review the application to determine the economic impact the proposed project would have on the state and the affected political subdivisions and shall submit a summary of the director's determinations and recommendations to the authority.

(D) Upon review and consideration of the determinations and recommendations described in division (C) of this section, the tax credit authority may enter into an agreement with the taxpayer for a credit under this section if the authority determines all of the following:

- (1) The taxpayer's capital investment project will result in the retention of employment in this state.
- (2) The taxpayer is economically sound and has the ability to complete the proposed capital investment project.
- (3) The taxpayer intends to and has the ability to maintain operations at the project site for at least the greater of (a) the term of the credit plus three years, or (b) seven years.
- (4) Receiving the credit is a major factor in the taxpayer's decision to

begin, continue with, or complete the project.

(E) An agreement under this section shall include all of the following:

(1) A detailed description of the project that is the subject of the agreement, including the amount of the investment, the period over which the investment has been or is being made, the number of full-time equivalent employees at the project site, and the anticipated Ohio employee payroll to be generated.

(2) The term of the credit, the percentage of the tax credit, the maximum annual value of tax credits that may be allowed each year, and the first year for which the credit may be claimed.

(3) A requirement that the taxpayer maintain operations at the project site for at least the greater of (a) the term of the credit plus three years, or (b) seven years.

(4) A requirement that the taxpayer retain at least five hundred full-time equivalent employees at the project site and within this state for the entire term of the credit, or a requirement that the taxpayer maintain an annual Ohio employee payroll of at least thirty-five million dollars for the entire term of the credit.

(5) A requirement that the taxpayer annually report to the director of development services full-time equivalent employees, Ohio employee payroll, capital investment, and other information the director needs to perform the director's duties under this section.

(6) A requirement that the director of development services annually review the annual reports of the taxpayer to verify the information reported under division (E)(5) of this section and compliance with the agreement. Upon verification, the director shall issue a certificate to the taxpayer stating that the information has been verified and identifying the amount of the credit for the taxable year or calendar year that includes the tax period. In determining the number of full-time equivalent employees, no position shall be counted that is filled by an employee who is included in the calculation of a tax credit under section 122.17 of the Revised Code.

(7) A provision providing that the taxpayer may not relocate a substantial number of employment positions from elsewhere in this state to the project site unless the director of development services determines that the taxpayer notified the legislative authority of the county, township, or municipal corporation from which the employment positions would be relocated.

For purposes of this section, the movement of an employment position from one political subdivision to another political subdivision shall be considered a relocation of an employment position unless the movement is

confined to the project site. The transfer of an employment position from one political subdivision to another political subdivision shall not be considered a relocation of an employment position if the employment position in the first political subdivision is replaced by another employment position.

(8) A waiver by the taxpayer of any limitations periods relating to assessments or adjustments resulting from the taxpayer's failure to comply with the agreement.

(F) If a taxpayer fails to meet or comply with any condition or requirement set forth in a tax credit agreement, the tax credit authority may amend the agreement to reduce the percentage or term of the credit. The reduction of the percentage or term may take effect in the current taxable or calendar year.

(G) Financial statements and other information submitted to the department of development services or the tax credit authority by an applicant for or recipient of a tax credit under this section, and any information taken for any purpose from such statements or information, are not public records subject to section 149.43 of the Revised Code. However, the chairperson of the authority may make use of the statements and other information for purposes of issuing public reports or in connection with court proceedings concerning tax credit agreements under this section. Upon the request of the tax commissioner, or the superintendent of insurance in the case of an insurance company, the chairperson of the authority shall provide to the commissioner or superintendent any statement or other information submitted by an applicant for or recipient of a tax credit in connection with the credit. The commissioner or superintendent shall preserve the confidentiality of the statement or other information.

(H) A taxpayer claiming a tax credit under this section shall submit to the tax commissioner or, in the case of an insurance company, to the superintendent of insurance, a copy of the director of development services' certificate of verification under division (E)(6) of this section with the taxpayer's tax report or return for the taxable year or for the calendar year that includes the tax period. Failure to submit a copy of the certificate with the report or return does not invalidate a claim for a credit if the taxpayer submits a copy of the certificate to the commissioner or superintendent within thirty days after the commissioner or superintendent requests it.

(I) For the purposes of this section, a taxpayer may include a partnership, a corporation that has made an election under subchapter S of chapter one of subtitle A of the Internal Revenue Code, or any other business entity through which income flows as a distributive share to its

owners. A partnership, S-corporation, or other such business entity may elect to pass the credit received under this section through to the persons to whom the income or profit of the partnership, S-corporation, or other entity is distributed. The election shall be made on the annual report required under division (E)(5) of this section. The election applies to and is irrevocable for the credit for which the report is submitted. If the election is made, the credit shall be apportioned among those persons in the same proportions as those in which the income or profit is distributed.

(J)(1) If the director of development services determines that a taxpayer that received a certificate under division (E)(6) of this section is not complying with the requirements of the agreement, the director shall notify the tax credit authority of the noncompliance. After receiving such a notice, and after giving the taxpayer an opportunity to explain the noncompliance, the authority may terminate the agreement and require the taxpayer, or any related member or members that claimed the tax credit under division (N) of this section, to refund to the state all or a portion of the credit claimed in previous years, as follows:

(a) If the taxpayer fails to comply with the requirement under division (E)(3) of this section, an amount determined in accordance with the following:

(i) If the taxpayer maintained operations at the project site for less than or equal to the term of the credit, an amount not to exceed one hundred per cent of the sum of any tax credits allowed and received under this section.

(ii) If the taxpayer maintained operations at the project site longer than the term of the credit, but less than the greater of seven years or the term of the credit plus three years, the amount required to be refunded shall not exceed seventy-five per cent of the sum of any tax credits allowed and received under this section.

(b) If the taxpayer fails to substantially maintain both the number of full-time equivalent employees and the amount of Ohio employee payroll required under the agreement at any time during the term of the agreement or during the post-term reporting period, an amount determined at the discretion of the authority.

(2) If a taxpayer files for bankruptcy and fails as described in division (J)(1)(a) or (b) of this section, the director may immediately commence an action to recoup an amount not exceeding one hundred per cent of the sum of any credits received by the taxpayer under this section.

(3) In determining the portion of the credit to be refunded to this state, the authority shall consider the effect of market conditions on the taxpayer's project and whether the taxpayer continues to maintain other operations in

this state. After making the determination, the authority shall certify the amount to be refunded to the tax commissioner or the superintendent of insurance. If the taxpayer, or any related member or members who claimed the tax credit under division (N) of this section, is not an insurance company, the commissioner shall make an assessment for that amount against the taxpayer under Chapter 5726., 5733., 5736., 5747., or 5751. of the Revised Code. If the taxpayer, or any related member or members that claimed the tax credit under division (N) of this section, is an insurance company, the superintendent of insurance shall make an assessment under section 5725.222 or 5729.102 of the Revised Code. The time limitations on assessments under those chapters and sections do not apply to an assessment under this division, but the commissioner or superintendent shall make the assessment within one year after the date the authority certifies to the commissioner or superintendent the amount to be refunded.

(K) The director of development services, after consultation with the tax commissioner and the superintendent of insurance and in accordance with Chapter 119. of the Revised Code, shall adopt rules necessary to implement this section. The rules may provide for recipients of tax credits under this section to be charged fees to cover administrative costs of the tax credit program. The fees collected shall be credited to the business assistance fund created in section 122.174 of the Revised Code. At the time the director gives public notice under division (A) of section 119.03 of the Revised Code of the adoption of the rules, the director shall submit copies of the proposed rules to the chairpersons of the standing committees on economic development in the senate and the house of representatives.

(L) On or before the first day of August of each year, the director of development services shall submit a report to the governor, the president of the senate, and the speaker of the house of representatives on the tax credit program under this section. The report shall include information on the number of agreements that were entered into under this section during the preceding calendar year, a description of the project that is the subject of each such agreement, and an update on the status of projects under agreements entered into before the preceding calendar year.

(M) The aggregate amount of nonrefundable tax credits issued under this section during any calendar year for capital investment projects reviewed and approved by the tax credit authority may not exceed the following amounts:

- (1) For 2010, thirteen million dollars;
- (2) For 2011 through 2023, the amount of the limit for the preceding calendar year plus thirteen million dollars;

(3) For 2024 and each year thereafter, one hundred ninety-five million dollars.

The limitations in division (M) of this section do not apply to credits for capital investment projects approved by the tax credit authority before July 1, 2009.

(N) This division applies only to an eligible business that is part of an affiliated group that includes a diversified savings and loan holding company or a grandfathered unitary savings and loan holding company, as those terms are defined in section 5726.01 of the Revised Code. Notwithstanding any contrary provision of the agreement between such an eligible business and the tax credit authority, any credit granted under this section against the tax imposed by section 5725.18, 5729.03, 5733.06, 5747.02, or 5751.02 of the Revised Code to the eligible business, at the election of the eligible business and without any action by the tax credit authority, may be shared with any member or members of the affiliated group that includes the eligible business, which member or members may claim the credit against the taxes imposed by section 5725.18, 5726.02, 5729.03, 5733.06, 5747.02, or 5751.02 of the Revised Code. Credits shall be claimed by the eligible business in sequential order, as applicable, first claiming the credits to the fullest extent possible against the tax that the certificate holder is subject to, then against the tax imposed by, sequentially, section 5729.03, 5725.18, 5747.02, 5751.02, and lastly 5726.02 of the Revised Code. The credits may be allocated among the members of the affiliated group in such manner as the eligible business elects, but subject to the sequential order required under this division. This division applies to credits granted before, on, or after March 27, 2013, the effective date of H.B. 510 of the 129th general assembly. Credits granted before that effective date that are shared and allocated under this division may be claimed in those calendar years in which the remaining taxable years specified in the agreement end.

As used in this division, "affiliated group" means a group of two or more persons with fifty per cent or greater of the value of each person's ownership interests owned or controlled directly, indirectly, or constructively through related interests by common owners during all or any portion of the taxable year, and the common owners. "Affiliated group" includes, but is not limited to, any person eligible to be included in a consolidated elected taxpayer group under section 5751.011 of the Revised Code or a combined taxpayer group under section 5751.012 of the Revised Code.

(O)(1) As used in division (O) of this section:

(a) "Eligible agreement" means an agreement approved by the tax credit authority under this section on or before December 31, 2013.

(b) "Reporting period" means a period corresponding to the annual report required under division (E)(5) of this section.

(c) "Income tax revenue" has the same meaning as under division (S) of section 122.17 of the Revised Code.

(2) In calendar year 2016 and thereafter, the tax credit authority shall annually determine a withholding adjustment factor to be used in the computation of income tax revenue for eligible agreements. The withholding adjustment factor shall be a numerical percentage that equals the percentage that employer income tax withholding rates have been increased or decreased as a result of changes in the income tax rates prescribed by section 5747.02 of the Revised Code by amendment of that section taking effect on or after June 29, 2013.

(3) Except as provided in division (O)(4) of this section, for reporting periods ending in 2015 and thereafter for taxpayers subject to eligible agreements, the tax credit authority shall adjust the income tax revenue reported on the taxpayer's annual report by multiplying the withholding adjustment factor by the taxpayer's income tax revenue and doing one of the following:

(a) If the income tax rates prescribed by section 5747.02 of the Revised Code have decreased by amendment of this section taking effect on or after June 29, 2013, add the product to the taxpayer's income tax revenue.

(b) If the income tax rates prescribed by section 5747.02 of the Revised Code have increased by amendment of this section taking effect on or after June 29, 2013, subtract the product from the taxpayer's income tax revenue.

(4) Division (O)(3) of this section shall not apply unless all of the following apply with respect to the eligible agreement:

(a) The taxpayer has achieved one hundred per cent of the job retention commitment identified in the agreement.

(b) If applicable, the taxpayer has achieved one hundred per cent of the payroll retention commitment identified in the agreement.

(c) If applicable, the taxpayer has achieved one hundred per cent of the investment commitment identified in the agreement.

(5) Failure by a taxpayer to have achieved any of the applicable commitments described in divisions (O)(4)(a) to (c) of this section in a reporting period does not disqualify the taxpayer for the adjustment under division (O) of this section for an ensuing reporting period.

Sec. 122.85. (A) As used in this section and in sections 5726.55, 5733.59, 5747.66, and 5751.54 of the Revised Code:

(1) "Tax credit-eligible production" means a motion picture production certified by the director of development services under division (B) of this section as qualifying the motion picture company for a tax credit under section 5726.55, 5733.59, 5747.66, or 5751.54 of the Revised Code.

(2) "Certificate owner" means a motion picture company to which a tax credit certificate is issued or a person to which the company has transferred under division (H) of this section the authority to claim all or a part of the tax credit authorized by that certificate.

(3) "Motion picture company" means an individual, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, or other form of business association producing a motion picture.

(4) "Eligible production expenditures" means expenditures made after June 30, 2009, for goods or services purchased and consumed in this state by a motion picture company directly for the production of a tax credit-eligible production.

"Eligible production expenditures" includes, but is not limited to, expenditures for ~~resident and nonresident~~ cast and crew wages, accommodations, costs of set construction and operations, editing and related services, photography, sound synchronization, lighting, wardrobe, makeup and accessories, film processing, transfer, sound mixing, special and visual effects, music, location fees, and the purchase or rental of facilities and equipment.

(5) "Motion picture" means entertainment content created in whole or in part within this state for distribution or exhibition to the general public, including, but not limited to, feature-length films; documentaries; long-form, specials, miniseries, series, and interstitial television programming; interactive web sites; sound recordings; videos; music videos; interactive television; interactive games; video games; commercials; any format of digital media; and any trailer, pilot, video teaser, or demo created primarily to stimulate the sale, marketing, promotion, or exploitation of future investment in either a product or a motion picture by any means and media in any digital media format, film, or videotape, provided the motion picture qualifies as a motion picture. "Motion picture" does not include any television program created primarily as news, weather, or financial market reports, a production featuring current events or sporting events, an awards show or other gala event, a production whose sole purpose is fundraising, a long-form production that primarily markets a product or service or in-house corporate advertising or other similar productions, a production for purposes of political advocacy, or any production for which records are required to be maintained under 18 U.S.C. 2257 with respect to sexually explicit content.

(B) For the purpose of encouraging and developing a strong film industry in this state, the director of development services may certify a motion picture produced by a motion picture company as a tax credit-eligible production. In the case of a television series, the director may certify the production of each episode of the series as a separate tax credit-eligible production. A motion picture company shall apply for certification of a motion picture as a tax credit-eligible production on a form and in the manner prescribed by the director. Each application shall include the following information:

- (1) The name and telephone number of the motion picture production company;
- (2) The name and telephone number of the company's contact person;
- (3) A list of the first preproduction date through the last production date in Ohio;
- (4) The Ohio production office address and telephone number;
- (5) The total production budget of the motion picture;
- (6) The total budgeted eligible production expenditures and the percentage that amount is of the total production budget of the motion picture;
- (7) The total percentage of the motion picture being shot in Ohio;
- (8) The level of employment of cast and crew who reside in Ohio;
- (9) A synopsis of the script;
- (10) The shooting script;
- (11) A creative elements list that includes the names of the principal cast and crew and the producer and director;
- (12) Documentation of financial ability to undertake and complete the motion picture;
- (13) Estimated value of the tax credit based upon total budgeted eligible production expenditures;
- (14) Any other information considered necessary by the director.

Within ninety days after certification of a motion picture as a tax credit-eligible production, and any time thereafter upon the request of the director of development services, the motion picture company shall present to the director sufficient evidence of reviewable progress. If the motion picture company fails to present sufficient evidence, the director may rescind the certification. Upon rescission, the director shall notify the applicant that the certification has been rescinded. Nothing in this section prohibits an applicant whose tax credit-eligible production certification has been rescinded from submitting a subsequent application for certification.

- (C)(1) A motion picture company whose motion picture has been

certified as a tax credit-eligible production may apply to the director of development services on or after July 1, 2009, for a refundable credit against the tax imposed by section 5726.02, 5733.06, 5747.02, or 5751.02 of the Revised Code. The director in consultation with the tax commissioner shall prescribe the form and manner of the application and the information or documentation required to be submitted with the application.

The credit is determined as follows:

(a) If the total budgeted eligible production expenditures stated in the application submitted under division (B) of this section or the actual eligible production expenditures as finally determined under division (D) of this section, whichever is least, is less than or equal to three hundred thousand dollars, no credit is allowed;

(b) If the total budgeted eligible production expenditures stated in the application submitted under division (B) of this section or the actual eligible production expenditures as finally determined under division (D) of this section, whichever is least, is greater than three hundred thousand dollars, the credit equals ~~the sum of the following, subject to the limitation in division (C)(4) of this section:~~

~~(i) Twenty-five thirty per cent of the least of such budgeted or actual eligible expenditure amounts excluding budgeted or actual eligible expenditures for resident cast and crew wages;~~

~~(ii) Thirty-five per cent of budgeted or actual eligible expenditures for resident cast and crew wages.~~

(2) Except as provided in division (C)(4) of this section, if the director of development services approves a motion picture company's application for a credit, the director shall issue a tax credit certificate to the company. The director in consultation with the tax commissioner shall prescribe the form and manner of issuing certificates. The director shall assign a unique identifying number to each tax credit certificate and shall record the certificate in a register devised and maintained by the director for that purpose. The certificate shall state the amount of the eligible production expenditures on which the credit is based and the amount of the credit. Upon the issuance of a certificate, the director shall certify to the tax commissioner the name of the applicant, the amount of eligible production expenditures shown on the certificate, and any other information required by the rules adopted to administer this section.

(3) The amount of eligible production expenditures for which a tax credit may be claimed is subject to inspection and examination by the tax commissioner or employees of the commissioner under section 5703.19 of the Revised Code and any other applicable law. Once the eligible production

expenditures are finally determined under section 5703.19 of the Revised Code and division (D) of this section, the credit amount is not subject to adjustment unless the director determines an error was committed in the computation of the credit amount.

(4) No tax credit certificate may be issued before the completion of the tax credit-eligible production. Not more than forty million dollars of tax credit may be allowed per fiscal biennium ~~beginning on or after July 1, 2011, and not more than twenty million dollars may be allowed in the first year of the biennium. At any time, not more than five million dollars of tax credit may be allowed per tax credit-eligible production year beginning July 1, 2016.~~

(D) A motion picture company whose motion picture has been certified as a tax credit-eligible production shall engage, at the company's expense, an independent certified public accountant to examine the company's production expenditures to identify the expenditures that qualify as eligible production expenditures. The certified public accountant shall issue a report to the company and to the director of development services certifying the company's eligible production expenditures and any other information required by the director. Upon receiving and examining the report, the director may disallow any expenditure the director determines is not an eligible production expenditure. If the director disallows an expenditure, the director shall issue a written notice to the motion picture production company stating that the expenditure is disallowed and the reason for the disallowance. Upon examination of the report and disallowance of any expenditures, the director shall determine finally the lesser of the total budgeted eligible production expenditures stated in the application submitted under division (B) of this section or the actual eligible production expenditures for the purpose of computing the amount of the credit.

(E) No credit shall be allowed under section 5726.55, 5733.59, 5747.66, or 5751.54 of the Revised Code unless the director has reviewed the report and made the determination prescribed by division (D) of this section.

(F) This state reserves the right to refuse the use of this state's name in the credits of any tax credit-eligible motion picture production.

(G)(1) The director of development services in consultation with the tax commissioner shall adopt rules for the administration of this section, including rules setting forth and governing the criteria for determining whether a motion picture production is a tax credit-eligible production; activities that constitute the production of a motion picture; reporting sufficient evidence of reviewable progress; expenditures that qualify as eligible production expenditures; a competitive process for approving

credits; and consideration of geographic distribution of credits; and implementation of the program described in division (I) of this section. The rules shall be adopted under Chapter 119. of the Revised Code.

(2) The director may require a reasonable application fee to cover administrative costs of the tax credit program. The fees collected shall be credited to the business assistance fund created in section 122.174 of the Revised Code. All grants, gifts, fees, and contributions made to the director for marketing and promotion of the motion picture industry within this state shall also be credited to the fund. The director shall use money in the fund to pay expenses related to the administration of the Ohio film office and the credit authorized by this section and sections 5726.55, 5733.59, 5747.66, and 5751.54 of the Revised Code.

(H)(1) After the director of development services makes the determination required under division (D) of this section, a motion picture company to which a tax credit certificate is issued may transfer the authority to claim all or a portion of the amount of the tax credit the motion picture company is authorized to claim pursuant to that certificate under section 5726.55, 5733.59, 5747.66, or 5751.54 of the Revised Code to one or more other persons. Within thirty days after a transfer under this division, the motion picture company shall submit the following information to the director, on a form prescribed by the director:

(a) Information necessary for the director to identify the certificate that is the basis for the transfer;

(b) The portion or amount of the tax credit transferred to each transferee;

(c) The portion or amount of the tax credit that the motion picture company retains the authority to claim;

(d) The tax identification number of each transferee;

(e) The date of the transfer;

(f) Any other information required by the director;

(g) Any information required by the tax commissioner.

The director shall deliver a copy of any submission received under division (H)(1) of this section to the tax commissioner.

(2) A transferee may not claim a credit under section 5726.55, 5733.59, 5747.66, or 5751.54 of the Revised Code unless and until the transferring motion picture company complies with division (H)(1) of this section. A transferee may claim the transferred amount of any credit or portion of a credit for the same taxable year or tax period for which the transferring motion picture company was authorized to claim the credit or portion of a credit pursuant to the certificate. A motion picture company shall make no

transfer under division (H)(1) of this section after the last day of the tax period or taxable year for which the motion picture company is required to claim the credit pursuant to the certificate.

A motion picture company may make not more than one transfer under division (H)(1) of this section for each tax credit certificate, but pursuant to that transaction, may allocate the authority to claim a portion of the credit to more than one transferee. A motion picture company may not authorize more than one transferee to claim the same portion of a credit.

(I) The director of development services shall establish a program for the training of Ohio residents who are or wish to be employed in the film or multimedia industry. Under the program, the director shall:

(1) Certify individuals as film and multimedia trainees. In order to receive such a certification, an individual must be an Ohio resident, have participated in relevant on-the-job training or have completed a relevant training course approved by the director, and have met any other requirements established by the director.

(2) Accept applications from motion picture companies that intend to hire and provide on-the-job training to one or more certified film and multimedia trainees who will be employed in the company's tax credit-eligible production.

(3) Upon completion of a tax-credit eligible production, and upon the receipt of any salary information and other documentation required by the director, authorize a reimbursement payment to each motion picture company whose application was approved under division (I)(2) of this section. The payment shall equal fifty per cent of the salaries paid to film and multimedia trainees employed in the production.

Sec. 124.152. (A)(1) Except as provided in divisions (A)(2) and (3) of this section, each exempt employee shall be paid a salary or wage in accordance with schedule E-1 or schedule E-2 of division (B) of this section.

(2) Each exempt employee who holds a position in the unclassified civil service pursuant to division (A)(26) or (30) of section 124.11 of the Revised Code may be paid a salary or wage in accordance with schedule E-1, schedule E-1 for step eight only, or schedule E-2 of division (B) or (C) of this section, as applicable.

(3)(a) Except as provided in division (A)(3)(b), (c), or (e) of this section, each exempt employee who was paid a salary or wage at step 7 in the employee's pay range on June 28, 2003, in accordance with the applicable schedule E-1 of former section 124.152 of the Revised Code and who continued to be so paid on June 29, 2003, shall be paid a salary or wage in the corresponding pay range in schedule E-1 for step eight only of division

(C) of this section for as long as the employee remains in the position the employee held as of July 1, 2003. Such an employee is not eligible to be paid a salary or wage at step 7 in schedule E-1 for as long as the employee remains in the position the employee held as of July 1, 2003.

~~(b) Except as provided in division (A)(3)(c) of this section, if~~ If an exempt employee who is being paid a salary or wage in accordance with schedule E-1 for step eight only of division (C) of this section moves to another position, the employee shall not receive a salary or wage for that position or any other position in the future in accordance with that schedule.

~~(c) If an Each~~ exempt employee who is being paid a salary or wage in accordance with pay range 12 through 16 of schedule E-1 for step eight only of division (C) of this section moves to another position assigned to pay range 12 or above, the appointing authority may assign the employee to be paid a salary or wage in the appropriate pay range for that position in accordance with the schedule E-1 for step eight only of division (C) of this section, provided that the appointing authority so notifies the director of administrative services in writing at the time the employee is appointed to that position shall be paid a salary or wage in the corresponding pay range in schedule E-1 of division (B) of this section as follows:

(i) If the employee has maintained satisfactory performance in accordance with the criteria established by the employee's appointing authority within the twelve-month period immediately before July 1, 2016, at step 8 beginning on the first day of the pay period that includes July 1, 2016;

(ii) If the employee has not maintained satisfactory performance in accordance with the criteria established by the employee's appointing authority within the twelve-month period immediately before July 1, 2016, but attains satisfactory performance in accordance with the criteria before July 1, 2017, at step 8 beginning on the first day of the pay period that follows the date the employee attains satisfactory performance;

(iii) If the employee does not attain satisfactory performance in accordance with the criteria established by the employee's appointing authority before July 1, 2017, at the employee's base rate of pay as of the pay period immediately before the pay period that includes July 1, 2017, beginning on the first day of the pay period that includes July 1, 2017.

(d) If an employee described in division (A)(3)(c)(iii) of this section attains satisfactory performance in accordance with the criteria established by the employee's appointing authority, the employee shall be paid a salary or wage at step 8 in the corresponding pay range in schedule E-1 of division (B) of this section beginning on the first day of the pay period that follows